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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Officers and members of Far West Lodge, No. 1, Sunset Lodge No. 10, and Victoria Lodge No. 17, are hereby requested to attend a joint convention, at Pythian Hall, on Tuesday evening next, 31st inst.

Past Grand Chancellor W. G. Ranold and General H. A. Bigelow, of Washington, will deliver addresses on the excursion to Washington, D. C., and other matters of importance.

Convention will be called at 8 o'clock.

THOMAS DEASY,
District Deputy, Far West Lodge No. 1.
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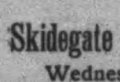

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BRIEF LOCALS

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—The steamer Danube sails on Wednesday at four o'clock for the north.

—A petition is being circulated in the city, asking the minister of justice to commute Hugh Lynn's sentence to imprisonment for life. It is being numerously signed.

—It was announced from the pulpit of St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral yesterday morning that the tuition fees at the boys' parochial school had been abolished, and that in future it would be a free school to all of the boys of the congregation.

—The Vancouver sealer Beatrice arrived home from her cruise to Japan on Saturday. She did not come in here, but made Sidney, from which placed she was towed to Vancouver. She has a total of 1,705 skins. She left the grounds very early, and is the first to reach home.

—Another move has been made in the political cause celebre of Gallagher v. Horne. The appeal from Mr. Justice Walkem's judgment, heard some time since by the full court at Victoria, was dismissed and a further appeal to the supreme court of Canada was entered by the defendant Horne. The latest move is the withdrawal of this latter appeal.—News-Advertiser.

—The regular meeting of Victoria Typographical Union was held yesterday afternoon when the following officers were elected: President, J. D. McNiven; Vice-President, D. Gormon; Secretary, W. Cullin; Treasurer, Thomas Boos; Executive committee—W. E. Ditchburn, D. J. King and J. W. Henley; Sergeant-at-arms, Robert Holloway; representatives to the Trades and Labor Council, D. J. King and W. E. Ditchburn.

—Dr. Bruce, of the Empress of India, has resigned his position on that boat and left for Toronto, where, after a short visit, he will proceed to London, England, to continue his studies. Dr. Meadows, formerly of the service, will take his place. It is reported also that Purser Macrae will leave the Empress upon her return to Hongkong in order to join the firm of Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. His successor will be the present assistant purser, Mr. Hoch.

General Ogle, a member of the Pennsylvania assembly, had been deputed to compose an address to the newly-elected president, Andrew Jackson. When the bluff old warrior submitted his document to the house a fellow member, a dapper little fellow from Philadelphia, said:

"Pardon me, general. I hesitate about making any suggestion to so distinguished an individual; but I cannot refrain from saying that it is customary with cultured letter writers to write the first personal pronoun with the capital 'I' instead of a small 'i.'"

General Ogle returned a look of scorn. "Sir," said he, "when I write to so great a man as General Andrew Jackson, Democratic president of the United States, I abase myself. I abase myself, sir. I use as small an 'I' as I can put upon paper. But, sir, if ever I should have to write to a little snipe like you, I would use an 'L,' sir, that would fill two pages of foolscap!"

MORE FIGHTING REPORTED

Japanese Fleet Blockading Taku Said to Have Been Destroyed by Chinese.

Sinking of the Kow Shang Characterized as a Piece of Barbaric Butchery.

Shanghai, July 30.—It is now learned that before blowing up the transport Kow Shang the Japanese officers visited her and ordered her officers to proceed to Japan. Two torpedoes were fired into the Kow Shang, killing a large number. The Japanese are searching all vessels arriving at Corean ports for contraband articles. Several Chinese transports which failed to reach the Yalloo river have returned to Chefoo. A Chinese officer asserts that when the Kow Shang was sunk the Japanese fired upon the men struggling in the water.

The Japanese say the transport Kow Shang was sunk while trying to escape. The Chinese say that the Kow Shang, though offering no resistance, was blown up. They also say that the Chinese warship Chenuen ran away, and assert that the officers of the vessels merely followed instructions. Chinese warships are protecting the transports, and have succeeded in getting them all safely to their destination except the Kow Shang. The Chinese fleet has been ordered to remain on the coast pending the development of Chinese movements.

San Francisco, July 30.—The steamer Gaelic arrived from Hongkong and Yokohama shortly before midnight last night, but brought no later advices than the Empress of Japan, which arrived at Victoria last Friday.

London, July 30.—The Globe characterizes the sinking of the Kow Shang as "a piece of barbaric butchery." The paper declares a prize crew should have been placed on the Shang and the vessel conveyed to some Japanese port.

A Shanghai dispatch states that it is reported that several Chinese steamers destroyed the Japanese warships blockading Taku.

Washington, D. C., July 30.—Retiring Japanese Minister Tateno paid a farewell visit to the president to-day. He will leave to-morrow for San Francisco.

UNIFICATION OF LABOR.

Effort to Consolidate All Labor Organizations Under One Head.

Philadelphia, July 30.—The movement for a unification of the great labor organizations of the country, which was projected at the national conference held in this city some month ago under the auspices of Joseph R. Buchanan, the well known labor writer and advocate, has received an impetus from the recent labor troubles, and it is now believed that the beginning of the new year, at the latest, will witness the consummation of the project. Much depends, however, upon the outcome of the election of delegates now going on in the Knights of Labor districts throughout the country for the general assembly to be held in New Orleans next November. This gathering may restore Mr. Powderly to the leadership of the order, while on the other hand it may declare renewed allegiance to General Master Workman Sovereign. Of the elections held, it is said that a majority are Powderly adherents. The ex-chief has always been opposed to a general unification on the ground that it would make too unwieldy a body to be properly handled, while on the other hand Mr. Sovereign is enthusiastically in favor of the idea. So are the chiefs of the American Railway Union. The next conference on unification is timed for February of 1895, but it is not improbable that in view of the recent developments another meeting will be called before the Knights assemble at New Orleans in November.

AMERICAN NEWS.

How Some of the Citizens of the Republic Spent the Day.

Columbus, Ind., July 30.—Dr. C. Beck was visiting his sweetheart, Miss Grace Cohee, at Newborn last night, when she took it into her head to frighten him by playing ghost. She left him on the verandah, saying she was going for a drink. She threw a sheet over her head and came upon him suddenly from around the house. Dr. Beck drew his revolver and called on the figure to stop. He called three times, but the girl heeded him not. Then the doctor fired. One ball entered Miss Cohee's abdomen and another entered her leg. She will probably die.

Little Rock, Ark., July 30.—Jesse Johns, 18 years old, a member of a prominent and influential family in India, owes his escape from the gallows to the uncertain use of a comma in the judge's charge. Johns was charged with the murder of two brothers named Hibdon, with whom he travelled through Arkansas. They camped at night on February 13th in an unoccupied house. Nex morning the charred bodies of the Hibdon brothers alone remained. On April 9th Johns was sentenced to death. A stay was secured pending an appeal. The opinion of the supreme court, which came in Saturday, points out that owing to the misplacement of a comma in the judge's charge the jury appears to have made an error. There is dissenting opinion, but Johns' neck is saved.

Moscow, Ala., July 30.—Forty young men were swimming in the Tombigbee river, when Walter and Hinton Wright, brought, caught James Whitehead and held him under the water until he was drowned. Walter Wright and Whitehead were in love with the same girl, who had discarded Wright for Whitehead. The Wright boys are in jail for murder.

San Francisco, July 30.—A severe earthquake shock was felt in Los Angeles, Mojave and Santa Ana last night. No damage is reported.

New York, July 30.—During a squall last night a yacht capsized in the Hudson river off Hastings. Three persons were drowned.

Sacramento, July 30.—C. R. Bennet was in court this morning without an attorney. No complaint had been filed against him, and his case went over until to-morrow. Gray appeared with his attorney, and the same action was taken as in Bennet's case.

The work of rebuilding the Children's Home at Tomes, Cal., which was burned a few months ago, began this morning. The new building will be an improvement on the old one, and will cost about $20,000.

Washington, D. C., July 30.—The issue of standard silver dollars for the week ended July 28th was over four hundred thousand.

Cleveland, July 30.—Congressman Johnson, in an interview to-day, said he believes in Democracy on the lines laid down by Jefferson. He declared the single tax and free trade advocates were the true Democrats. He says the single tax advocates are in favor of a tax which would make it impossible for any one to withhold natural opportunities from use.

Santa Rosa, Cal., July 30.—John Harper, a prominent farmer living near Sonoma, was instantly killed in a runaway there this morning. He was hauling fruit to Sonoma, when his team became frightened and ran away, throwing him out. He struck on his head, breaking his neck.

THE TRIUMPH NEARLY LOST

Narrow Escape From Going on the Rocks in Akutan Pass—Lost Four Anchors.

Collier Willamette Arrived This Morning From Unalaska—Sealing Prospects.

The collier Willamette arrived here this morning, seven days from Unalaska. She went north with a cargo of coal for the vessels in the United State Behring Sea patrol, and discharged at Unalaska, where the fleet have been for a month past. She did not make a stop here, going right on to Nanaimo and Comox, but Dr. Emmons, one of the passengers, managed to get ashore in the pilot boat. He is the retiring collector at Unalaska, and is on his way to Seattle. He was seen this afternoon by a Times reporter, and said:

"We have had a very pleasant run from Unalaska, and but for the giving out of one of the boilers of the steamer would have been her yesterday morning. We were making twelve knots before the mishap, but of course had to slow down. When I left Unalaska the Sapphire, Triumph, Beatrice, Ainoko and three other British sealers, one of which was the Walter L. Rich, I believe, were in port. They were all ready to get away to the sea, and will be on the way at one o'clock on Wednesday morning. They are nearly all going about 120 miles to the westward of St. Paul island, where seals are said to be very plentiful. The reports received from Unalaska indicate that there will not be many seals at the Pribyloff islands this year, and it is doubtful if the Commercial Company can kill as many seals as they desire or are permitted. The whaler California arrived at Unalaska on July 20 from the Asiatic side. She ran through herd after herd, most of which appeared to be going to the Russian islands. The California had five sperm and one bone whale, and appears to have done better than any of the fleet, so far as reported. Some of the whalers are back from the Arctic without a single whale. The sealer Wanderer is being held at Unalaska to await the arrival of a British man-of-war. She was, as has been stated, seized for an infraction of the regulations. I suppose they will give her over to the custody of H. M. S. Pheasant."

Mr. Emmons brought down a lot of mail matter, among other things a letter from Captain Clarence Cox, of the schooner Triumph, to E. B. Marvin, telling of the narrow escape of his vessel from destruction. The letter is below:

"Unalaska, July 20, 1894.

"To Mr. E. B. Marvin:

"Dear Sir,—As the steamer Willamette sails to-morrow, I thought best to drop you a few lines, as I was obliged to get an anchor from him. I nearly lost the schooner and all hands coming here. I was running for Akutan pass, wind blowing heavy; there was a heavy sea on, and it was quite foggy. When I was close in the wind died out and the sea hove the schooner close in to the rocks. I got four anchors out and held her. The sea was breaking as high as the jibboom. I started the second mate and three Indians to Unalaska for assistance from the men-of-war. About four hours after they left it got so bad that the schooner parted all four anchors, and there we stood waiting for her to strike. The Indians had their things in the canoes wanting to leave, but I would not let them, as a canoe or boat could not have lived five minutes in the surf. Fortunately, owing to currents and a high breeze I managed to get out about a hundred yards, and then it was blowing a gale of wind. It was the worst night I have ever spent on salt water, but I came through it all right, with only the loss of my anchors. There were three American men-of-war out three days looking for me, but it was so foggy they could not find me, but I got here all right and made fast alongside the Sapphire, and I got an anchor from the steamer Willamette, to be replaced. The men-of-war and custom house people here are very fine men, and they give us fairly to understand that if we break any of the laws down in the act they will seize us on sight.

"I remain, yours truly,
"C. N. COX,
"Schr. Triumph."

Mr. Emmons leaves for Seattle on the Rosalie in the morning. He was appointed from Oregon, but Seattle he regards as home, having relatives and a business connection there. He will probably return to Alaska again before long.

"William," observed the lady goat, "you look irritated."

"Yes," rejoined her husband. "I wish I could divine the purpose of this Lease gang. Will they affect the bifurcated, or must I wear a sidesaddle?"—Puck.

AT THE SHRINE OF ST. ANNE

Miraculous Cures Reported by Returning American and Canadian Pilgrims.

Deaf and Dumb Regain Possession of Formerly Useless Organs.

Quebec, July 30.—Pilgrims from Ontario and the United States returned to this city from the shrine of La Bonne Ste. Anne report a series of miraculous cures during the religius celebration there in honor of the festival of the saint. St. Anne's day always witnesses immense numbers of pilgrims at the shrine, although organized pilgrimages are discouraged for the 26th of July, for the church would be over-crowded. Numbers of the Peterboro', Ont., pilgrims who arrived on Tuesday remained over, however, and on Wednesday witnessed the arrival of several hundreds from Utica, N. Y., all wearing a blue and gold badge. Very pitiful was the conditon of some of the pilgrims who pressed forward to communicate or to venerate the relic yesterday, and great indeed was the sensation as various cures were reported. David McLean has been completly crippled and unable to walk or even stand for four years. Since May he has lived at St. Anne's, close to the church. McLean sits on a wheel chair, which he propels with his hands. He spends most of his time in church, and for days past has assured his friends he would be cured yesterday. Immediately after communicating he made an effort to sand and rose to his feet. He stepped forward a few feet, but was exhausted, and sat down again. In the afternoon after venerating the principal relic of the saint he again got up and walked stronger than before, and expressed strong faith in an early and permanent cure.

An eleven year old girl from Coaticooke had been dumb for eight years. When invoking the aid of St. Anne and communicating the string of her tongue was loosened and she cried out, "Bonne Ste. Anne je vous remercie!" "Good Ste. Anne I thank you!") Cardinal Taschereau was present, as was the Bishop of Chicoutimi, at the grand procession of the relic yesterday afternoon, in which men, women, children, priests and bishops, the sick and the well, took part. It was most imposing.

The Pilgrims.

Antwerp, July 30.—The pilgrims to Rome and Lourdes, under the auspices of the Sisters of the Monastery of the Precious Blood, of Brooklyn, comprising representatives from nearly every city in the United States, reached Antwerp this morning and joined the section of the party that sailed by the steamship Paris. Four days will be spent here viewing the numerous attractions of the exposition and making further preparations for the pilgrimage to Rome and the miraculous grotto. All are in good health and no accident has thus far occurred to mar the pleasure of the undertaking. The party will leave for Luxembourg at noon to-morrow and reach Lucerne some time during the evening, spending the night in the latter city.

Dibb's Ministry Resigns.

Sydney, N. S. W., July 30.—Dibbs' ministry has resigned in consequence of a dispute in the government in regard to appointments to the legislative council. A cabinet is being fromed by the leader of the opposition, Reid.

Australian Opinion of Canada.

London, July 30.—Hon. Nicholas Fitzgerald, delegate from Victoria, Australia, to the Ottawa conference, has arrived her on his way home. He expressed the opinion that the intercolonial conference had accomplished a great work. Its recommendations, he declared, will bear fruit. Canadians, he said, were proud of their country and had faith in its future.

Berlin, July 30.—Bismarck is suffering from prostration by heat.

MORTON FOR GOVERNOR.

The Ex-Vice-President Anxious to Mingle in the Fray of Politics.

Saratoga, N. Y., July 30.—Ex-Secretary of the Navy Tracy, who is a guest at the United States hotel, has received information regarding Hon. Levi P. Morton, which will interest Republicans generally. Ex-Secretary Tracy's information dispels all doubt about Mr. Morton's inclination to be a candidate for governor. Not only is he willing to run if he is nominated, but he is anxious to be here once more and to mingle in the fray. He has therefore arranged to sail for New York in a steamer which will reach that city about September 1st.

OTTAWA NEWS.

English Capitalists Who Arrive at the Capital Were Disappointed.

Ottawa, July 30.—B. Balson, Ottawa, has received his appointment as customs collector here in place of Z. Wilson, superannuated, and will commence work on Wednesday next.

Dickey, M. P., of Nova Scotia, arrived to-day with two English capitalists, who pretend to say they are now in a position to go on with the Chignecto ship railway scheme. They were disappointed in finding nearly all the ministers out of town. They want an extension of the company's charter.

Mrs. Threadley—I can't see why newspapers always give all the harrowing details of an accident.

Mr. Threadley—What have you found now?

Mrs. Threadley—Where a man was taken home fatally injured, with a sample of silk in his pocket still unmatched.

Customer (dubiously)—Um, er, the picture is very nice; but, don't you know, it doesn't look the least bit like me.

D'Auber (loftily)—Look like you! Well, I should say not! This is art, not photography!

WORK OF THE SESSION.

The Facility With Which Parliament Votes Great Sums for Railway Subsidies.

Members of the Cabinet Who do Not Dwell Together in Peace and Unity.

From our own Correspondent.

Ottawa, July 23.—Parliament was prorogued to-day by Lord Aberdeen. I telegraphed the Times about all that one cares to read as to the ceremony connected with prorogation. It was the same to-day as it was at confederation, unless for the innovation which Lord Aberdeen has introduced in having postillions attached to the vice-regal carriage on the run to and from Rideau Hall. The attendance at the closing ceremonies is never so large as at the opening, nevertheless there was a goodly number present to-day. There was of course the usual booming of cannon from Nepean Point, the mounted escort from Rideau Hall, the guard of honor at the main entrance to the buildings, and above all the scene of youth, gaiety and beauty in the senate chamber. Although always the same and carried out to an almost painful exactness as far as detail is concerned, it is nevertheless an enjoyable sight. Lord Aberdeen arrived from Kingsmere, in the Chelsea mountains, where he has been summering, to attend to the opening. He intends leaving in a few days for Halifax, and upon his return will probably go back for a short time to Kingsmere.

The session which has just closed has been 130 days long. Of these the commons sat for 87 days. I have already referred to the work in which the house was engaged during the dying days of the session. Let me now point out some of the bills which were among the slaughtered innocents. There was a bill of Sir John Thompson to make better provision for the judges of the Supreme court, and Mr. Haggart's bill to enable railway companies to have a better check on their conductors. Both bills met with strong opposition from the Liberals and the result was that they had to be dropped. The government, however, expressed their determination to go on with them next session. Then there was the insolvency bill and the act respecting the incorporation and regulation of joint companies. In all four government bills were dropped. There were 22 private bills which reached a second reading and one bill, to reduce from 12 to 7 the number of grand jurors necessary to find a true bill in the province of Ontario, which reached a third reading, but which was not passed.

Nearly five million dollars was voted away for railway resolutions. We are told that the revenue is declining; that there is to be a heavy deficit this year, yet the government can see its way clear to vote away nearly five million dollars towards assisting railway enterprises often of a doubtful character. A few political wire pullers club together and secure a charter; they next secure the promise of a subsidy and they look about for buyers who, for a price, take the road off their hands. They then set to work to see where another road can be projected, always in a locality where the government can find some justification for voting a subsidy. These railway subsidies in one way or another prove a powerful lever for the government about election times. When a railway subsidy resolution was before the house on Thursday Mr. Laurier moved an amendment that before the money was paid to the railway company the auditor-general should investigate the accounts and also that a system of "audit" should be introduced to see that there was no crooked work after the subsidies have been paid. Sir John Thompson opposed this motion and he called on his majority to vote it down. No; this would be too great a check on the dealings between the government and the railway corporations or contractors who are often very generous in responding to the government calls about election times.

The Conservative majority by vote in the house have declared the government not responsible for the squandering of some $250,000 on this celebrated work. Mr. Haggart is trying to throw the responsibility upon the friends of the minister of public works, Lt.-Col. Ouimet, while the latter holds that Haggart and his department should be held responsible. When I state that there is a family quarrel between these two members of the cabinet it is what everyone here believes to be a fact. Subsequent developments will establish that this is correct. There is an interesting little fight going on just now in ministerial circles. The Conservatives of Ontario are up in arms over the way they have been disgraced by the Quebec Tories. They say that they had hardly got through defending the government in the McGreevy-Connolley-Langevin scandal before they were asked to stick by the government in swearing there had been no crooked work in connection with the Curran Bridge job, and it did not end here, for they have had to declare that Turcotte had acted straight and not forfeited his seat in parliament. Then they had to whitewash Caron and his friends. Is it a wonder there should be some kicking?

No stronger evidence of the discord that prevails in the cabinet could be asked than the scene that took place in the senate on Thursday last between Sir Frank Smith and Minister Angers. The latter had charge of a government insurance bill. He proposed an amendment that had been moved in the commons by Sir John Thompson. Sir Frank, who is always a member of the cabinet, without portfolio, opposed it. Minister Bowell saw with Sir Frank that the senate would not pass the amendment. Mr. Angers persisted, telling his colleagues that he had only one leader. The amendment was, however, moved by Angers, but it was defeated. On the bill returning to the senate Sir John Thompson said that he would not insist on his amendment and thereby added another backdown to the numerous ones recorded against the government this session.

SLABTOWN.

The Plague's Ravages.

Hongkong, July 28.—A blue book issued to-day by Sir W. Robinson, the governor of Hongkong, reports that 12,000 people have died of the plague in this district during the year.

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ANXIOUS FOR PEACE.

British Government Wants Cleveland's Offer to Mediate, Accepted.

London, July 28.—The special cabinet council summoned last night for the consideration of the eastern question met this morning. The cables were burdened all night with long government dispatches. The Chinese minister received a dispatch from Tientsin at five o'clock this morning, which caused him to summon Minister Halfidy McCartney an hour later. Both gentlemen were closeted with Lord Kimberley long before his usual office hours. Lord Rosebery then consulted with the foreign secretary for several hours during the middle of the day. The American cable was almost monopolized with urgent messages between the state department at Washington city and the British foreign office. There is good authority for saying that the British government has abandoned the suggestion that the question at dispute between China and Japan be submitted to it as an arbitrator, it being evident that such an arrangement would be opposed by Russia. The whole effort of the English government is now to secure the acceptance by the parties to the bitter dispute of President Cleveland's offer to mediate.

Oriental diplomacy is a thing past finding out, and nobody dares to prophesy but the opinion in diplomatic circles here now is that a compromise is no longer possible, and that war is inevitable.

Yokohama, July 28.—The Japanese government has issued the following official circular: "In consequence of severe provocation three ships of the Japanese squadron were compelled to engage a Chinese fleet off Fontao, or Round Island. They captured the Chinese warship Tsaokian and sank a Chinese transport with soldiers on board. Unfortunately, one of the largest Chinese ironclads of the northern fleet, the Chen-yuen, escaped to China, and the Chinese torpedo cruiser Huantae escaped to Fasan, Corea. The Japanese warships engaged escaped without injury."

Shanghai, July 28.—In addition to Hugh Mathieson & Co.'s steamer Kowshung, sunk by a Japanese cruiser, all the Chinese troops on board being drowned, the steamer Tooneon, also being used as a transport, has been sunk by a Japanese warship. All the steamers of the Chinese trading company now here, and the Chinese merchant steamers have been ordered to remain here until orders to proceed are received from Tientsin. The Tooneon was a vessel of 900 tons, commanded by Captain Lowe, and belonged to the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company. She was chartered by the Chinese government to transport troops to Corea.

Rome, July 28.—The following dispatch was received from Tokyo to-day: "The Italian minister, acting in concert with the British minister, has presented to the Japanese minister of foreign affairs the proposals made by the Chinese looking to a settlement of the affairs of Corea. The Japanese government reserved its reply."

Berlin, July 28.—The German newspapers in commenting upon the Corean crisis note the reserved attitude of France in face of the fact that she would welcome anything likely to embarrass China. This is regarded as being due to the Czar's influence, and would seem to indicate that Russia does not desire to interfere between China and Japan unless forced to. Reference is also made to the long distance Japanese rider who rode, a year ago, from Berlin right across Europe and Asiatic Russia to Vladivostock, visiting all the important military stations along the route. He was a Japanese military attache, and consequently met a friendly reception everywhere.

The Russian bank of foreign trade, with its German headquarters at Cologne, has received a communication to the effect that Russia does not intend to interfere in the Chinese-Japanese dispute regarding Corea.

THE GERMAN EMPIRE.

Excessive Heat Throughout the Empire—Socialist Meetings.

Berlin, July 28.—The heat throughout Germany has been intense, causing much suffering, and many sunstrokes have been the result. Outdoor work has often been suspended, and complete lethargy prevails in this city to-day. Everyone who is able to do so has left town, and those who remain are sweltering in the torrid atmosphere.

Forty socialist meetings were held here yesterday evening for the promotion of the beer boycott. Only 25 small halls or rooms could be obtained for the use of the boycotters. The landlords of the larger halls had combined to thwart the boycott, and they subscribed to a fund to compensate the owners of halls for their losses. Everything passed off quietly except in one instance, when a small disorder was caused by an anarchist. Resolutions were adopted at all the meetings promising continued support of the boycott.

The Leipsic university clubs are setting a notable example. They have decided to drop the ancient academical system of morning beer drinking commers on the ground that it interferes with work. The newspapers comment favorably upon the decision and express the hope that the action of the Leipsic clubs will be imitated by those of other universities.

The Prussian commission of the Vistula basin reports twenty-two deaths from cholera and eleven new cases of that disease during the past week. A strict river inspection has been adopted at Dusseldorf and Cologne. Suspicious cases have been reported from Thorne, Bonsack and Graubes. The cholera committee of the health office met here yesterday to decide upon the precautions to be taken along the Russian frontier.

In connection with the withdrawal of the Equitable Life Assurance company of New York from doing business in Prussia, it must be said that public opinion in Berlin is not at present favorable to the American enterprise. The Associated Press correspondent hears that the Mutual Life Assurance company is in the same fix as the Equitable. It must be added that the new position of the government is directed against all companies, among which are many English companies and all the German capitalists.

Peters, the well known German explorer, intends to contest the first available vacancy in the reichstag. It is stated that his candidature is favored by the government, as the official press considers that his wide knowledge of Africa will be serviceable when colonial questions come up for discussion.

Emperor William continues to enjoy his trip to Norway, and is doing his best to suit the popular taste.

Carnegie's Tariff Views.

London, July 28.—Andrew Carnegie, in an interview in the engineering Review, is quoted as saying that he does not think the United States requires protection now, which, he claims, is of little use for revenue purposes, as manufactured imports have fallen so low.

Coming West.

Montreal, July 28.—Lord Randolph Churchill, with Lady Churchill and party, arrived from Bar Harbor, Me., today. His lordship is in extremely bad health and is barely able to walk. The party left this evening on a train for the Pacific coast.

PRINCE BISMARCK AND HIS WIG.

The Anecdote He Gave to Signor Crispi at Friedrichsruhe.

The Berlin correspondent of the London Times says that the new number of the Deutsche Revue contains the concluding portion of the reminiscences of Signor Crispi's last visit to Friedrichsruhe. The prince expressed himself in very forcible terms on the subject of baldness.

"Moltke," he said, "wears a wig which deceives nobody. If I wore a wig I should give vent to all my humors, and wear wigs of all kinds—long, short and middle-sized; fair and brown. In my eyes a wig is simply a hood of hair, instead of wool, silk or cotton. I should, therefore, wear my wig as a hood, and there are hoods of different kinds—some warmer and others lighter. There was a time when I made up my mind to wear a wig. When I was in St. Petersburg. My excuse was the cold. At a temperature of 25 to 30 degrees (Reaumur) below freezing point I had sometimes to stand bare-headed with scarcely more hair on my head than I have now. This nuisance recurred annually at the blessing of the Neva. Others had worn wigs before me, and so I got one.

"At a review at Warsaw before the Czar, Alexander II., and the prince regent of Prussia, afterwards the Emperor William, I was on horseback in military uniform. A helmet is a bad protection against heat and cold, so I resolved to put on my wig. We were galloping in the retinue of the princes when a general beside me looked at me and said half chaffingly, 'What, do you wear a wig?' 'Is it to be seen?' I replied. 'Yes, devilish distinctly. It's slipping down on one side.' It was the fact. The carriage in which I was to drive home was at some distance. I left the general staff where it was. My general accompanied me, and we spurred our horses. I stopped my horse at the carriage—not an easy matter for it was a thoroughbred—and there and then, in the presence of the Czar, the princes, the general staff, and the army, I took off my helmet, tore off the wig and threw it into the carriage. The prince regent, who attached great importance to forms, afterwards said to me rather testily, 'what a diabolical manoeuvre you executed with that wig of yours.'"

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Going out hunting a boy shot a bird; and another ran to secure the trophy. Coming near where it had fallen, he found a white owl, so sprawling in the grass as to present to his view only the head with staring eyes and a pair of wings attached. Instantly he shouted in dismay: "We're in for it now, Jack; we've shot a cherubim!"

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S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 30th June, 1894. jo30-1m

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Under power of sale contained in a mortgage registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, in charge book Vol. II, Fol. 307, No. 13700 B, the undersigned offer for sale by tender Lots Nos. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 63, and Block 21, part of a re-subdivision of part of Lots two and three of section XXXVIII, Victoria District, and more particularly described in a map or plan deposited with the Registrar General under the number 452.

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A RADICAL'S OPINION.

The United States a Country of Kings—"The Ninety and Nine."

London, July 30.—The current number of the Weekly Times and Echo, the organ of the radical element of English trades unionism, contains a lengthy article on present conditions in the United States, based on the recent labor troubles, over the signature of J. Morrison Davidson, the noted politico-economist and social reformer, and who when he visited this country during the Hayes administration was the guest of Hon. Carl Schurtz. Mr. Davidson speaks as follows: "Among other monstrous offspring, the republic has given birth to a considerable variety of "kings," and among these the railroad autocrat may just take to himself the Oriental style of "king of kings." One of this dynasty, a certain Pullman, is at the bottom of the present strike-war in the United States, and assuredly no caliph of Bagdad ever treated his subjects' repeated complaints and representations with more supreme indifference and contempt than has he of his employes. Nine times has he been supplicated to submit the points in dispute to arbitration, and nine times has he laughed his petitioners to scorn. Living in a delightful summer palace on Alexandria Bay, on the St. Lawrence, remote from the centre of disturbance and beyond the reach of personal danger, he sets a strong guard over his winter palace at Chicago, and then coolly summonses to his support the entire police and military force of the republic, state and federal, and with more or less alacrity they obey him. Mammon nods his head on his throne, and his vast dominions are shaken from centre to circumference. Never did the world see such a spectacle of irresponsible power before. Grover Cleveland may boast himself president of the United States, but the Mayor of the Palace, whom he and all his satellites, great and small, must obey, is George M. Pullman.

"And yet wise and sagacious men saw the end from the beginning. The republic of the United States is essentially a private property protective association. The fell handiwork of rent-monger, interest-monger and profit-monger is everywhere visible to such an extent that it is calculated that one per cent. of the population owns seventy-one per cent. of the entire wealth of the United States, while the "ninety and nine" are left to scramble for the remaining twenty-nine per cent. So overrun is the land with mortgages on every hand that if the ancient Greek plan of recording them by the erection of stone tablets were had recourse to the United States would appear something like a vast cemetery. Between the mortgagee on the one hand and the bonanza farmer on the other, the once splendid yeomanry of the country is being rapidly squeezed to death. Humboldt declared that the valley of the Mississippi alone could easily be made to feed all Europe, and now—paradox of paradoxes—it is discovered that America is over populated, and the stream of emigration which so long flowed from the shores of the old world to the new has begun to flow back again with a steady current. Already the reflow exceeds the out-flow by sixteen per cent.

"Our American brethren have a terribly hard row to hoe, but they may be trusted, if any men can, somehow to work out their own salvation, and it may also be that of the European peoples. Christendom is wistfully waiting for the social mot d'ordre, and if it is destined to come from the other side of the Atlantic, I for one will gladly concede to them the honor of hegemony."

THE MOTHER OF FISHERMEN.

Norwegian Town of Bergen and its Great Industry.

The steamers leave England in the afternoon, arriving at Bergen early in the morning on the second day out. The first glimpse of the Norway coast comes with the bustle of the sailor men on deck. It is something like the first view of the coast of Ireland, only more so. The islands of rock rise boldly out of the water, and before you realize anything the steamer seems to be headed straight for the rocks. Then an opening appears. The man in the pilot house, acting in obedience to motions of the pilot's arm, steers between the rocks and turns quickly to avoid another, when you experience your first real appreciation of the skill of the Norwegian pilot in maneuvering the ship. In and out among the rocks you go, until finally you pass between two mountain islands, and the city of Bergen, resting at the water's edge among mountains of bold rock from one thousand to two thousand feet high, is before you. When I arrived in Bergen it was only two o'clock in the morning in July, and yet day was breaking in on the city and it had not been dark all night. Here was a city of 53,000 inhabitants actually cut off from the world, appearing to have put it back up against its mother country and defied the rest of the world to disturb its peace. The atmosphere of all the Norway fishing towns is one of peace and liberty. Bergen is the centre of the fishing industry of the country. She thrives mainly on this industry. She is the queen of all fishing stations, and is the mother of the type of fishermen that is gradually being developed in all lands—muscular body, blue eyes, high cheek bones, powerful jaw, shaggy beard, thickly matted hair, sou'wester, big boots, sleeves rolled up, knife and marlinspike in his belt, rough trousers and red shirt, and always ready to haul in his nets, let the winds blow high or blow low. The Norway fish and Norwegian fishermen and sailor men are Norway's greatest gifts of to-day. Her fishermen are a type by themselves, her sailors are fearless, faithful and sailors every inch of them, and her fish are the best of the kind in the world. The cod fishing industry alone yielded about $7,000,000 last year from a catch of 73,000,000 fish. In Bergen everything is fish. Fish are traded for boots and jackknives. An article is worth "two cod" or "four herring," and if a trade cannot be made in any other way a few salmon are thrown in. There is a school there where the science of fishing is taught. Everything possible is done to keep alive the fishing interest, and no stone is left unturned to increase the catch each season. The season for cod fishing opens in January, and lasts about three months. The fish come from the extreme north to the fjords to spawn, and the bulk of the catch is made in the open water off the Lofoten islands on the side towards the main coast. The fishing is controlled by the government, regularly appointed officials being present at the various fishing stations to settle all disputes between the fishermen, and to give advice about the best methods of preparing the fish.—From "Up the Norway Coast," by George Card Pease, in Harper's Magazine for August.

"UNDERGROUND PEOPLE."

A Curious Religious People Started in Russia.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph says:—The very newest thing in the religious sects of Russia is an enthusiastic community known as the "Underground People," which has been recently started in the government of Saratoff (Kamyshensky district) and is making new converts every day. According to these benighted, but well-meaning persons, the one thing needful in salvation is to make as many underground cellars, corridors and secret hiding places as possible, and to conceal therein all sorts and conditions of men, who happen to be fleeing from justice, or eluding the pursuit of the authorities—deserters or the passportless or runaways from Siberia. This looks as if the new community were a political society, rather than a religious body; but, in reality nothing is further removed from the true state of things. The Underground People have no political convictions, they are solicitous only for the salvation of their souls and are in such terrible earnest about the all important business of their earthly pilgrimage that most of them literally lay down their lives in the hope of finding them in the next world. How it is done is this: As soon as a man, woman or child falls ill, and is compelled to take to his or her bed, the elders are sent for. These peasants, who are unable to read or write, meet in the hut of a patient and having offered up a short prayer, solemnly announce that the Lord's call must be answered in a spirit of true resignation. Then the sick person is baptized anew, receiving a wholly different name, to which the epithet "Servant of God" must be invariably added. The sectarians explain this rule by saying that Ivan or Peter died with his old name he would stand before the judgment seat of God saturated with sin and infamy, and would be hurled into hell without pity or ruth. But when he had received his new cognomen, he need fear nothing for the devils will hunt for Ivan or Peter, the hardened sinner, whereas his name has become, say, Anthony or Alexander, the servant of God, so that, as they will never succeed in establishing his identity, he is perfectly sure of being admitted to the Kingdom of Heaven.

Having baptised the patient, and thus given him an unsullied name, they raise him from his straw bed and carry him down to the dark, dank dismal chambers of horrors underground, the labyrinthine windings of which are known only to a few. There he is deposited in solemn silence and left without food, drink or a human companion to battle in darkness with grim death. Meanwhile all his relatives who were living in the same house with him move out for a time. After the lapse of time the elders go down into the vaults and inspect the body of their newly-baptised brother. If quite dead they dig a hole for it in the garden, in the barn floor, or in the fields; but never in the burial grounds, as this would be fraught with terrible misfortune to the heaven-sped soul. Over the agonizing tortures of the miserable creatures who are thus literally buried alive, the less said the better. The Sectarians themselves dislike to touch upon the subject and descant solely on the benefits to the soul, which they themselves in turn hope to enjoy.

The local authorities are exerting themselves to the utmost to root out this dangerous sect. But as yet they have made but little progress, for all the villages and hamlets around are positively honeycombed with underground streets and apartments in which the guilty and lawless are hiding, and the sick and feeble are slowly dying, and it is not only very difficult to discover the street ingress and to find one's way through the intricate windings of these contemporary catacombs, but it is exceedingly dangerous to try, as one may unexpectedly find himself locked up in a living tomb. A physician lately managed to effect an entrance into one of these "underground temples" as they are called, and he actually discovered a cholera patient alone in the throes of death.

THE HUSBAND'S STRATAGEM.

Escaped the Murderous Designs of His Loving Wife.

An inhabitant of Voro, in Finland, named Sellquist, who for a long time past has been living on bad terms with his wife, had lately a narrow escape from being poisoned by her. She called at a chemist's and asked for some rat poison. As these creatures are very rarely seen in that neighborhood, the chemist had his suspicions aroused, and gave her a perfectly harmless drug. On second thought he decided to mention the matter to the husband, and requested him to say nothing about it to his wife. In the evening, as she was preparing the porridge, the man kept a watchful eye on her movements, and noticed that she scatered something out of a paper into the saucepan. When the porridge was ready he sat down to the table and began to eat. After a while he got up in great excitement, paced up and down the room, and at last fell fainting on the floor. This was what the woman expected. She now pulled down a rope through a hole in the ceiling with a noose, which she placed round her husband's neck, whereupon she ran up stairs into the garret in order to pull up the rope and hang her husband in that fashion. Meantime the husband got up and tied a few chairs to the rope. The wife did not return to the room, as she dreaded the sight, but went out into the village to raise an alarm, saying that her husband had hanged himself in her absence. When she came back with a host of neighbors and crocodile tears in her eyes, there was her husband sitting at the table, laughing till his sides ached. The chairs were still dangling on the rope.—Novoye Vremya.

Woman, a Belgian journal, advocates a plan for increasing the revenue by levying a tax on moustaches. It is estimated there are two million Belgians who would not part with their moustaches for ten francs, or $2, and there, at a stroke, is a revenue of four millions a year. But the principle may be extended in another direction, as a moustache wearer points out, when he suggests that a like tax be put upon "frizzes." Woman has nothing to my mind this last proposition.—Chicago News.

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The little man's ambition was to appear to be more than he really was, a common fault of mankind. Many another has had a fall. Our hero in this case suffered no material injury, and a few nights later was again at the rink. He had taken on an extra supply of enthusiasm for his new-found pastime. He was pumped as full of it as are the tires of a racing machine charged with wind. He continued to show marked improvement, and in less than two weeks from the time he first went to school, he found himself mounted upon one of the two-wheelers, all his own. When seen floating through the Back Bay fens he was the incarnation of happiness. It was hard "sledding" going up hill, but as his legs hardened and his wind improved, he took the up grades with comparative ease. Next he purchased a uniform, joined the L. A. W., and later received the official organ of that fraternity. He was particularly attracted by the advertisements. He saw in them numberless mediums, the adoption of which, he believed, would enhance the pleasure of wheeling. One of the first things that excited his interest was a bicycle clock. He had had considerable difficulty in carrying his watch, as there was no pocket in his pantaloons for its accommodation, and when his eye fell upon a breezily written announcement concerning a turnip-shaped timepiece to be adjusted by the handle bars, he concluded that it was just the thing that he had been looking for. The next time he went to ride one of these useful little tickers looked him full in the face all the way. He was very much pleased with it and wondered why riders generally did not carry them. While rolling through Franklin Park one afternoon a gray-coated policeman hailed him and conveyed the somewhat startling information that if he was again found in the park without a bell he and his machine would be stored away in the nearest lockup. He had not heard of the scorchers' bell, and the next time he went out there was a gong as large as a soup plate screwed to the steering apparatus of his machine. Another difficulty beset him one night when on his way home through the Newtons. The moon was at its full, and her golden brightness was only a little less than the noonday sun. But notwithstanding the height of Luna's glory, he was accosted by a watchful policeman and informed of the regulations regarding the carrying of lanterns; and if he was again found in that section without a headlight it would cost him ten good American dollars. When next he appeared on the road a nickel-plated lantern with a big red glass front hung from the front of his pneumatic. His brief experience on the wheel had shown him that only about one person in ten ever heard the sharp ring of his bell at a crossing as their minds were afar off, speculating on matters entirely foreign to the welfare of their own material bodies. That he might the more readily awaken them to the danger that threatened he purchased an ear-piercing squawk, with a big rubber bulb at one end, and placed it opposite the nickel-plated gong. But even this combination did not answer the purpose. As a further precaution against collision he bought a double-barreled whistle which he hung in his mouth. Frequently he would let off all three of the warning signals at once. The racket that followed startled herdic horses and policemen and arrested the attention of everyone within hearing distance. Other wheelmen stared at him with curiosity, and he finally became known as the infernal flying machine. But he did not care for these flings. His recompense came in the fact that he had removed the cause of great personal danger to himself and also to those pedestrians who might otherwise have gotten in his way. As he was in the habit of going out afternoons and coming home late in the evening, when extra clothing is necessary, he purchased a tourist's grip and had it swung inside the frame of his machine. He found it very convenient for his coat, and a source of economy also, as he could store enough crackers and cheese and bologna sausage in it to last him through the day, thus escaping the necessity of paying a dollar for a poor dinner at some country hotel. One night he read in his paper about the theft of a bicycle, and the next day he procured a big lock and chain with which to harness his machine to lamp posts and fences when he had occasion to leave it alone. The next purchase that our hero made was the latest production in the way of snap cameras. He thought it was a good way to preserve an outline of the odd things he saw when out on his wheel. This he carried strapped to his back. The instrument was snapped on the slightest provocation. He used up plates on chickens, cows, female riders, rocks, trees and farm wagons. Another of his purchases was a map about four feet square, giving a description of the territory about Boston. One night he got lost on a lonely road. There was no moon and the stars were shut in by clouds. This was the only time he had had occasion to use his map, but, of course he could not see a line of it. Our new rider had a pair of well-developed calves. Every canine that saw them watered at the mouth. In going from Waltham to Lexington one afternoon a big, long-legged deer hound grabbed one of those tempting morsels between his sharp teeth. When the pedal came round it struck the brute squarely in the ribs and tore out a three-cornered patch of his hide. He dropped the little man's leg and went back home to attend to his injuries. As a precaution against further attacks of a similar character, the next time he rode his coat pocket bulged out with a cycle tourist's gun filled with aqua ammonia. This blinding solution was prepared for dogs without discretion. In addition to the regular set of tools that came with the machine he bought what is known as a tire repair set and a combination wrench in addition. His curiosity to know how far he traveled from point to point was satisfied by the placing of a cyclometer on the forward wheel. One of the most conspicuous attachments of his machine was a network of wires and straps and strings rigged in front of the handle bars. He was told by a friend that an arrangement of this kind was just what he needed for carrying bundles, and, suposing there would be many occasions when the apparatus would come in handily, it was added to his already overburdened machine. Then the various chain lubricants were added to his store. It was necessary to try a sample of each, as the proprietors appeared to stake their hope of future happiness and truthfulness of their declarations regarding their virtues. His pantaloons pockets were filled with court plaster, sticks of tutti-frutti, tire tape, strings, and, in fact, everything possible to use in case of emergency. He also carried at the mud guards, foot rests and a brake. He was, without doubt, the funniest thing seen on the road.—Boston Herald.

REWARD.

A Reward of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) will be paid for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who, on or about the morning of the 13th inst., placed or caused to be placed or exploded, a bomb or other dangerous explosive on or near the residence of Alexander Sharp, at Wellington, in the County of Nanaimo.

Signed,

R. DUNSMUIR & SONS.

Victoria, B.C., March 16, 1894.

NOTICE OF SALE BY SHERIFF.

Pursuant to "Execution Against Lands Act, 1874."

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

John W. Mellor, Plaintiff; John W. Carter, Defendant.

In obedience to a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 18th day of June, 1894, and to me directed in the above named suit for the sum of $954.94, and $3.50 for costs of execution, etc., together with interest on the said sum at six per centum per annum from the 19th day of May, 1894, besides Sheriff's poundage, fees and other expenses of this execution, I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion St., Victoria, on Friday, 17th day of August, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, the interest of the said John W. Carter in the lands as described in this advertisement or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgment and expenses.

District.	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Interest.
Victoria City.	Lot 81, situate in Rae Street.	Two-story house and out-houses. Assessed value $4,200.	Estate in fee, subject to incumb'nces.
	Lot 90, Kane St.	Two-story house and out-houses. Assessed value, $2,000.	

When to be sold.	Where to be sold.
Friday, August 17th, 1894.	At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion street, Victoria.

J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

Victoria, B. C., 25th July, 1894.

LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, Victoria, 25th day of July, 1894, 12:10 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify as follows:

1. That, excepting judgments (if any), the following are the only charges registered or applied for against lots 81 and 90, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of J. W. Carter, viz:

Against part of lot 81 and lot 90, Victoria City:

19th January, 1891.—J. W. Carter to Henry P. Bell, mortgage in fee to secure payment of the sum of $4,500 on (or before) the 19th January, 1894, and interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, as therein mentioned. (Registered in Charge Book, Vol. 9, Fol. 406, No. 9,052B.)

Against part (60x30 ft.) of lot 81, Victoria City:

23rd July, 1892.—John William Carter to the North British-Canadian Investment Company, Limited, mortgage in fee to secure payment of the sum of $1,500 on or before the 23rd July, 1895, and interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum. (Registered in C. B., Vol. 11, Fol. 175, No. 13,021B.)

2. That the following judgments appear registered against all the real estate of John William Carter, viz:

Judgment of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, obtained 17th May, 1894, by George Philip Weller, Charles Weller, Otto Weller, and Joseph William Weller, carrying on business at Victoria, B. C., under the firm name and style of Weller Bros., against John William Carter for $192.80 debt, and $56.41 costs. Registered 17th May, 1894, at 12:30 p.m., No. 299.

Judgment of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, obtained 28th May, 1894, by Henry Timothy Plett against John William Carter for $210 debt, and $31.57 costs. Registered the 28th May, 1894, at 12:40 p.m., No. 306.

3. That the following judgment appears registered against all the real estate of John W. Carter, viz:

Judgment of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, obtained by Jno. W. Mellor against John W. Carter the 19th May, 1894, for $970.44 debt, and $25 costs, and registered 19th May, 1894, at 12:20 p.m., No. 301.

(L. S.) S. Y. WOOTTON,
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The Corporation reserves to itself the right to redeem and purchase these debentures on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof, at any time after twenty-five years form the date of issuance of such debentures.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at four and one-half per cent. from the 1st of August, 1894, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of "The Sewerage Loan By-law, 1894," with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's office, Victoria, B. C., June 8th, 1894.

City of Victoria, British Columbia

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In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at four and one-half per cent. from the 1st of August, 1894, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

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J. P. WALL, Secretary.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

FARMER'S CONVENTION.

The quarterly meeting of the Directors of Fruit Growers' Association will be held at Agassiz on Friday, August 10, at 5 p.m.

The Dairymen's Association will meet at same place at close of Fruit Growers' meeting.

Saturday, August 11, will be a field day on the Experimental Farm. Agricultural questions will be discussed on Friday and Saturday evenings.

All interested are invited. Cheap rates of fare are being secured.

Further particulars from

A. H. B. MACGOWAN,
Secretary.

Vancouver, July 25.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

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WANTED—A man who understands the care of horses and gardening. Apply at 283 Douglas street. jy28-3t

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The Daily Times.

ANOTHER POLAR EXPEDITION.

Almost simultaneously with the reports that the Wellman polar expedition has been lost comes the announcement that another expedition has started out, this time from England. It goes on the steam bark Windward, under the leadership of a Mr. Jackson, and the following details of the course to be taken are given in the London Telegraph of a recent date:

Her plan of action is to sail in the first place to Franz Josef land, going as high as the ship possibly can up the coast, and there landing the party of eight resolute explorers. Franz Josef land lies well inside the circle of 80 degrees beyond Nova Zembla. If Mr. Jackson, the leader of the expedition, and his seven brave companions, can effect a good start from any point on this shore, they hope, if not to reach the pole at any rate to go beyond, and even long beyond, the eighty-three degrees twenty minutes reached by Markham and Nares, and 83 degrees 24 minutes of Lockwood in Greeley's voyage. Mr. Leigh-Smith, who visited Franz Josef land in his yacht, found plenty of game and fish there, with polar bears and seals in abundance. In what direction, however, the coasts of that frozen tract may stretch no one knows; north whether it may lead the explorers directly to the north or block their way with impenetrable mountains and ice cliffs. After landing her party the Windward is to return home, returning to the Arctic seas in the summer of 1896. The distance from the point of landing to the pole itself may be reckoned at about 700 miles, and Mr. Jackson's party gives itself two years to accomplish this and the return. The Windward hopes to pick them up at the end of 24 months, or else to find tidings and instructions; but all beyond the frozen soil upon which the gallant band will disembark is unknown, uninhabitable, and mysterious; and once they bid farewell to their stout ship we shall lose sight and hearing of them almost as much as if they were travelling in the moon.

Nothing appears to have been forgotten which could conduce to render the Jackson-Harmsworth expedition a success. The Windward herself is a very strong barque-rigged screw steamship of about 400 tons. She has been fortified so with inner "struts," timbers and partitions, as to be practically almost solid, and her bows are armed against the hard Arctic ice with tempered steel plates. Broad-beamed and massive in lines, she is yet a swift craft much distinguished as a "whaler," and sails of course as well as steams. Her officers and crew number nineteen; but these, as we have said, will return. The fearless eight who part company from them on the icy brink of the polar basin are Mr. Jackson himself, Mr. Armitage, an officer of the Peninsular and Oriental Company; Dr. Kettlitz, the medical man; Captain Schlosshauer, of the Mercantile marine; Mr. Fisher, curator of the Nottingham museum; Mr. Burgess, Mr. Childs and Mr. Dunsford. All these gentlemen have been selected with the greatest care and for special gifts; nor has anything been neglected to sustain their courageous endeavors. Provisions for four years, on full rations, packed in the most portable and concentrated form, fill the hold of the Windward. For lighting, cooking, and warmth they take spirits 60 above proof, which will not freeze in any place except Professor Dewar's laboratory, and such stores as four thousand pounds of tinned meat, four and a half tons of flour, one ton of oatmeal, one ton of sugar, one thousand seven hundred and eighty pounds of pressed vegetables, tons of potatoes, hundredweights of honey, chocolate, lime juice, etc. In the Arctic regions one must eat well to live. To carry these ample viands across the ice they have an assortment of light and strong sledges, averaging twenty pounds in weight, but equal to a load of a thousand pounds. These will be drawn for them by Siberian dogs, waiting for that duty at Archangel; and Siberian ponies are also to be employed. For the dogs alone five tons of cod-liver biscuits are taken, and for the ponies twelve tons of compressed hay. For shelter collapsible tents, without poles or ropes, are provided, with five light boats, one entirely of aluminium. As regards clothing and all other equipments, the experience of every Arctic journey has been drawn upon; and, if these stores appear excessive in respect of carriage when we think of the rugged land and icy seas to be traversed, it must be borne in mind that the party will have to establish depots along the road which it follows towards the pole, and by which it will, if all goes well, probably return.

The Telegraph accompanies this description with a large amount of fustian talk about some Englishman being so ready to furnish funds for such an expedition and other Englishmen being so brave in volunteering to take part in it. Nobody has so far shown that there is anything to be gained by reaching the north pole further than the gratification of curiosity. Is this purpose such as to justify the sacrifice of life and treasure involved? It is hard to see that it is, while there are other ways in which English money and courage might be directed with the result of benefits being conferred on mankind. Nobody will be a whit the better if some foolhardy adventurer does succeed in standing on the north pole, and the chances are about a hundred to one against the goal being reached. The game seems most emphatically not worth the candle.

MR. HUME'S POSITION.

The Colonist accuses us of being "stupid and uncivil" because we noticed its dishonest way of quoting the Kootenay Mail in reference to Mr. Hume's position. Well, if exposure of the organ's little schemes of deception necessarily involve stupidity and incivility, we shall most likely have to plead guilty to a similar charge on many occasions, since dishonest quotation is its favorite vice. In this connection we may note the Mail's reference to Mr. Hume in its last issue, part of which reads as follows:

Whether the government will accept Mr. Hume as a supporter remains to be seen, but most people will think it would be more honest to Mr. Hume to stick to the colors he fought under. Moreover, a majority of those who voted for him did so under the belief that he was an oppositionist, and it would be playing these electors a "low-down" trick if, at the eleventh hour, Mr. Hume turned round and supported the government. Besides, Mr. Hume will have to swallow some of his election speeches, or bury them from sight some other way, and even then their ghosts would rise up from the past to haunt him. In those speeches, if they are correctly quoted, he does not seem to be very much in "accord" with the government. The committee may have spoken without Mr. Hume's express knowledge. Mr. Hume may not be at all ready to endorse what they told the premier.

It seems advisable to take this whole report in regard to Mr. Hume and his committee with more than a grain of salt. We should be slow to believe that a candidate who through the campaign condemned the government and its ways, would immediately after election turn around and promise the government his support. Mr. Hume may have been guilty of this treachery, but he should not be held guilty until there is positive evidence to convict him.

A writer in Machinery points out the fact, as ascertained by examination, that but very few steam gauges are correct throughout the whole range of the scale, and remarks that in testing a gauge it is desirable to make the pressure at which steam is usually carried the most important point to be determined; a gauge may be correct at low pressure and not so at higher pressures, and the reverse may also be found, especially with gauges which have been in use some time. By many it is not considered advisable to use a gauge for ascertaining pressures as high as that shown on the dial, as few springs will stand such an extension without becoming permanently set, to a certain extent, this being especially the case with the cheaper gauges. It is, according to this writer, not a difficult matter to devise means for comparing with a test gauge, any kind of a force pump serving the purpose, or the boiler feed pump may be utilized. Again, gauges can be tested by fitting them to a piece of lead pipe being bent to hang the gauge vertically.

CANADIAN NEWS.

News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The town of Lindsay was shaken up by an earthquake on Friday night.

A protest has been entered against the return of R. A. Campbell, South Renfrew, to the Ontario legislature.

A brick block in Mount Forest, owned by W. Lewis, was partly destroyed by fire; covered with insurance.

Mr. R. Ferguson, a wealthy farmer of Castleford, Renfrew county, was killed by lightning while working in a field.

Joe Lablanche, the prize-fighter known as the "Marine," was arrested in Montreal on a charge of stealing a gold watch and chain.

The Hon. John McIntosh, member of the Quebec government without portfolio, has been appointed to the vacant shrievalty of Sherbrooke.

S. S. Merrick, of Carleton Place, was elected grand patriarch of the grand encampment of the Ontario Independent Order of Odd Fellows at the annual session in Chatham.

While in a somnambulistic state, Alexander Gunn, ex-M. P. of Kingston, walked into his staircase at his residence and fell some distance upon his head, receiving serious injuries.

A committee appointed to investigate certain charges preferred against Rev. R. C. Horner, met in Pembroke and after full consideration decided to suspend Horner to the next annual conference.

Sarah Howes, Toronto, was arrested on a charge of having stolen a large quantity of jewelry from Miss Jessie Alexander, the well known elocutionist. Part of the stolen property was found on her person.

Henry La Famboise, a farmer of Sandwich West, lassoed a colt when in some way the rope became wound around his leg and he was dragged by the animal some distance receiving injuries which will end fatally.

A Hamilton Chinaman named Pong Jung charges a Toronto maiden by the name of Mary Beatty, with having secured $300 from him by false pretenses. The woman went to Hamilton to marry him, but returned the same night without doing so.

The Dominion Blanket and Fibre Company, (Limited) of Montreal, is somewhat embarrassed but its creditors have agreed not to press it, the company having stated it would get all its difficulties settled if allowed time to call in the additional working capital.

The Globe publishes dispatches from all parts of the Dominion on the business outlook and the condition of the crops. From every province and every district comes the information that the crops are quite up to the average. General business is dull, but the outlook not discouraging.

The Canadian Bankers' Association have elected the following officers: Hon. President, Sir Donald A. Smith; President, Mr. B. E. Walker, general manager of the Bank of Commerce; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. W. W. Chipman, Montreal. The next annual meeting will be held in Quebec.

Protests were filed on Saturday against three more members-elect, Mr. Magwood of North Perth, Mr. German in Welland and Mr. Biezard in East Peterborough.

Alfred Emond, Toronto agent of the Hamilton Powder Company, was brought back from Avon, N. J., where he was arrested on a charge of embezzling $4,700 from the company.

As a result of an official enquiry two members of the Toronto Grenadiers have been found guilty of altering score cards used at the Mimico ranges. They got credit for higher averages than they made. Both were forbidden to use the range for the rest of the season. Other battalions are said to be not free from such despicable methods.

The Canadian Masonic Mutual Benefit Association of London, after 22 years' existence, has found that, owing to the increased assessments consequent upon the extreme old age of its members, it could not continue doing business on the old system of assessment, and the Ontario inspector of insurance has ordered the association to go into liquidation at once.

An election protest has been filed against the return of Hon. J. M. Gibson for West Hamilton, and another against the return of Dr. G. S. Ryerson, for East Toronto. Gibson is charged with infringing the election law personally and through agents in various ways. Ryerson is charged personally with paying money for himself and procuring personation, and also with personally and through agents infringing various sections of the law.

The corpse of Patrick Purcell, member of parliament, a millionaire, which was stolen from its grave in Cornwall three years ago, has been found in the river with a cord tied around the neck. Mr. Purcell's body had evidently been a long time in the water. Most of the scalp, eyes, nose and ears, the right hand, finger on the left hand and portions of the toes were gone, but otherwise it was remarkably well preserved. This is accounted for by the fact that the body was embalmed before burial.

The earnings and expenses of the C. P. R. for June, 1894, were: Gross earnings, $1,458,083; working expenses, $1,022,726; profits, $435,957. In June, 1893, the net profits were $722,327, and for the six months ending June 30th, 1893, the figures are as follows: Gross earnings, $8,137,769; working expenses, $5,852,538, net profit, $2,285,231. For the six months ending June 30th, 1894, there was a net profit of $1,401,192. The decrease in the net profit over the same period last year is, therefore, for June, $286,370, and from January 1st to June 30th, $784,039.

Dalton McCarthy lately addressed his constituents at Creemore with respect to his statement that he would rather have separate schools than secular schools. He defined his position as follows. He wished it to be distinctly understood that he was as much opposed to separate schools as ever. What he meant was that this was a religious community and that some form of religion common to all sects should be recognized in our schools, the same as in some of our government institutions. The house of commons is opened every day by a form of worship agreed upon by all the different creeds and most of them were represented there. He was in favor of a national school system founded on the same principle as the public school system of Ontario, where no sectarian doctrine is taught but which nevertheless were not Godless.

A most interesting decision has just been given by Recorder DeMontigny of Montreal. On June 24 last, Norman Murray, a local character, was arrested on a charge of interfering with a St. Jean Baptiste procession. He was brought before the recorder the following day for trial, but objected to the recorder on the ground that the latter was a Roman Catholic and a papal zouave, and that his obligations to the pope prevented him from granting an impartial trial. Recorder DeMontigny overruled his objections, and in an elaborate judgment which he has published, he rules that there is nothing in his obligations as a Catholic or as a papal zouave to prevent him from granting fair play to all men, and he orders the case to proceed.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Annual Meeting of the Medical Committee of the New V. C. Company.

Nanaimo, July 30.—The annual meeting of the medical council of the New V. C. Company took place on Saturday evening when the question of the appointment of a doctor to take the place of Dr. Praeger was considered, and the balance sheet was received.

The secretary read the statement in the balance sheet, which showed that the balance of $415 from the previous year had been increased to $508.10. The number of accidents during the year was 53, namely: No. 1 shaft, 24; Protection shaft, 5; No. 3 shaft, 12; No. 5 shaft, 10, and outside, 2. The small number of accidents was due to the vigilance and care in the management of the mines. The committee regretted the death of David Hopkins. Dr. Praeger resigned his position on May 25, and Dr. McKechnie was appointed to fill the vacancy for the next six months and the committee recommended that the appointment be made permanent.

The receipts for the year, including the balance, were $16,003.75; Northfield contributing $3406; artizans $436; salary to doctor, $8027.26; accident allowance, $2979.80; special grants, $1111.50; balance, $508.10.

G. Campbell moved that the report be received and the action of the committee be indorsed in regard to the appointment of Dr. McKechnie pro tem.

T. Roy seconded the motion and it was carried.

T. Roy moved that Dr. McKechnie receive the appointment permanently and that he be empowered to select his own assistant.

W. Ross thought the meeting should appoint the second doctor and moved an amendment to that effect.

J. Lister spoke in favor of the motion and expressed the firm belief that Dr. McKechnie should be permitted to choose his own assistant, as he believed he was more competent to select a competent assistant.

R. Lamb said a few pleasant words in favor of the motion.

N. Millburn was in favor of the amendment.

J. Leask said it would be an unwise act to select an assistant for Dr. McKechnie who, he was convinced, was the most able to conduct his own business, and if such a thing occurred it might cause considerable friction between them.

The motion carried.

The following were appointed a medical committee to act in conjunction with three officials of the company. No. 1 shaft, H. Deverill; No. 5, H. Carroll; Protection, Dan Stewart.

The chairman said when D. Hopkins was killed a bill of $53 for board was presented for payment and asked if it was their intention to pay it.

H. Carroll moved that the board bill be paid from the past pay day until his death. It was seconded by E. Marryat and carried.

Several other little matters were dealt with and the meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the past committee and secretaries.

Marine.

Spoken on July 5, in latitude 5, south, longitude 30 west, British bark Ladstock, from Liverpool for Victoria.

Steamer City of South Florence left Seattle from Victoria Friday evening to have her machinery repaired, and will leave for New Westminster on July 31 to bring the circus back to Seattle.

The bark Alexander McNeil was in collision with the schooner James Townsend, off Fort Bragg, Cal., during a dense fog on the night of the 24th instant. Both vessels were badly injured. The jibboom of the schoner went through the McNeil's side and demolished the cabin furniture and did some damage to the side and deck. The McNeil lost some of her rigging.

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—There will be a meeting of the city council this evening. There are several motions to come up and a number of matters to dispose of.

—Edward Kebboy, the cook of the ship City of Glasgow, has been placed aboard again, and will go home to England in care of the captain.

—The board of directors of the Jubilee hospital will meet this evening at the office of Yates & Jay. The tenders for the year's supplies will be finally dealt with.

—There was not a single case up in the police court this morning for hearing, and there are no cases pending. The police had a very quiet Saturday and Sunday.

—The only candidates nominated for the legislative assembly for Cassiar on the 21st instant were Captain John Irving and William Dalby. Mr. Collins was not nominated.

—Mrs. A. J. Munroe, N. Samme, Miss Minoth, August Boehmer, Mrs. Cushing and Dr. S. Engelhardt are the passengers for Victoria on the steamship City of Puebla, due to-night from San Francisco.

—Herbert Robertson and Fred S. Hussey went canoeing on Saturday afternoon, and were upset near the mouth of the harbor. They were picked up by a passing yacht. Mr. Robertson says the temperature of the water was below zero.

—A squad of firemen were kept busy yesterday afternoon fighting a grass fire on Beacon hill, which threatened to blacken the whole hill. A fire on the beach at Victoria West, fanned by a brisk south wind, also caused a little annoyance.

—An invitation is extended to the congregation of the Metropolitan Methodist church, including the ladies of the W. C. T. U., to an "At Home" and garden party to be given by Mrs. Teague at her residence, corner of Cook and Chatham streets, on Wednesday from 2:30 till 6.

—The Germania club held its annual picnic at Cordova Bay yesterday. There was a large attendence and everybody present had a good time. There were sports and games, and a number of baskets filled with a variety of good things. The party went out early in the day and returned in the evening.

—Ald. Dwyer has a notice on the bulletin board at the city hall announcing that he will move that tenders be called for an engine for the proposed electric light station, tenders to be in accordance with specifications provided by the council. The notice was posted on Saturday, and will be read at to-night's meeting.

—The following reduced rates on sheep from Seattle and Tacoma to Victoria on the Puget Sound and Alaska steamboats are now in effect: In lots of 199 or less, 50 cents each; 200 to 399, 40 cents each; 400 and over, 25 cents each. The charges on lots of 199 at 50 cents must not exceed the charges on 200 at 40 cents, and the same rule applies throughout the scale.

—The following changes in aids to navigation for the Washington coast, made during the month of June, are announced by the United States coast and geodetic survey: Washington—Columbia river entrance, buoy changed; the H. S. buoy, marking the wreck W. H. Besse, off Columbia river, is changed from a nun to a can buoy. Puget Sound—Whidby island, new post light; a post light, fixed white, is now shown on Bush point, west side of Whidby island.

—The semi-annual meeting of the Victoria Building Society was held in Sir William Wallace hall on Saturday evening. The secretary's half yearly statement and balance sheet were submitted. They were adopted and some other business disposed of, when the 39th drawing for an appropriation was proceeded with. The following acted on the committee in charge: Messrs. John Leonard, James F. Fell and A. B. Erskine. The result of the drawing was in favor of No. 212 C and D, entitling Mr. Frederick McLellan to $2000, No. 212 A and B having been withdrawn.

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—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street.

—The directors of the Jubilee Hospital meet this evening at Yates & Jay's office.

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—The regular meeting of the Pride of the Ridge lodge, I. O. G. T., will be held in the Oddfellows' hall, Fernwood road, this evening, when officers will be elected for the ensuing term.

—The St. James church Sunday school will give an excursion to Sidney on Wednesday next. Trains leave Hillside avenue at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Fare for the round trip 50 cents; children half price.

—The steamship Tacoma sailed from Yokohama on Saturday for Victoria. She will be here about Wednesday, August 11. The particulars as to her freight and passengers have not yet been received.

—Francis Page, the newly-appointed police clerk, has spent the past few days with retiring clerk Pope, familiarizing himself with the duties of the office. He will assume charge on Wednesday. Mr. Pope will leave shortly with his wife for a trip to the east.

—H. M. S. Hyacinth was floated out of the graving dock at Esquimalt on Saturday evening and is back at the naval wharf. Her repairs will now be speedily completed and she will receive her guns again. H. M. S. Royal Arthur will be placed in the dry dock on Thursday to have her copper sheathing replaced. The dock is now being made ready.

—There were nearly 800 people on the I. O. O. F. excursion to Seattle on Saturday. The Islander reached the Queen City at 1:30 o'clock and left there at 8:30 o'clock. The trip home was a long one, it being three o'clock before the boat reached the wharf here. The excursionists spent a very pleasant day at Seattle. The only accident of note occurred just before the boat left Seattle, when one of the excursionists made it a mixed drink by falling overboard. He was pulled out easily, however, a little the better for his ducking.

—All arrangements are completed for the Effie Elaine Hext recital and concert to-morrow evening. The tickets are selling fast, and a large audience is assured. Nothing so unique in the way of a dramatic recital has been presented to a Victoria audience before. Special preparations have been made for the presentation of "Perdeta," a statue costume recital. The platform will be draped with a large velvet curtain and many other artistic accessories, and there will also be special arrangement made for the statuesque posings in Greek costume. Victorians will have an opportunity to-morrow to see an entertainment decidedly unique, elevating, educating and certainly of a most interesting kind. The vocal and instrumental part will not be behind in point of excellence, some of the best local artists having promised to take part. In these days of entertainments it is refreshing to be able to attend a really first class affair. To-morrow evening the public are assured of having one in every respect. The recital begins promptly at 8 o'clock. Doors will be opened half an hour earlier. Those desiring a good seat should endeavor to be at the hall, Blanchard street, early.

—It is to be hoped that our theatre goers realize fully the treat that is before them in the appearance of Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew to-morrow evening, and that the engagement here will be so successful as to make it clear to managers of companies that Victoria can be depended upon to give hearty support to attractions deserving of it. Managers of good companies will then vie with each other in endeavors to secure dates here, knowing that if their attraction is good, success is certain, and the old complaint of the public of poor companies and of the companies of poor business, will be remedied at once. Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew stand so near the front rank that Victorians may rest assured that it will be a very long time, if ever, anyone better or even equal to them will be seen in this city. The engagement here opens to-morrow evening with "The Iron master," which is new to Victoria, but which will be remembered by any of our readers who have had the pleasure of seeing the Kendals, who regard it as the mainstay of their repertoire. It was produced for the first time in this section in Portland, last Thursday evening, and we have before us a most flattering criticism in the Oregonian, which states that Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew received well deserved and hearty calls after each act. Wednesday evening "In Society" will be presented, and Dumas' celebrated play, "Camille," is for Thursday evening, which closes the engagement.

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LAW INTELLIGENCE.

The Suit of Lantz and Others Against Col. Baker Commenced To-day.

Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., and D. M. Eberts, Q. C., are to-day conducting law examinations. Several candidates are writing for their intermediate and final examinations. There are thirteen of them writing in the same room, but still they look happy and confident. Vancouver is well represented, no less than six being down from there.

The action of Ward v. McLellan was not concluded on Saturday afternoon, when the defendant's examination was gone into. It was adjourned until 10.30 to-day, but in the meantime the parties had arranged a settlement. This morning counsel went before Mr. Justice Drake and a consent judgment was made for $900 against the defendant. Each party pays his own costs. A. P. Luxton for the plaintiff and F. B. Gregory for the defendant.

The trial of the action Lantz et al. v. Col. Baker, M. P. P., was commenced this morning before Mr. Justice Walkem and a jury, with James Tagg as foreman. The hearing was first set for June 1st last, and after several adjournments eventually commenced to-day. Mr. George E. Powell in opening told the jury the facts in connection with the case as alleged by his clients, Fraser Lantz, Edson Refuse and Daniel McGillivray. On the 4th of November last the plaintiffs, and the defendant entered into a contract whereby the plaintiffs agreed to proceed to China creek and by the first day of December commence boring on three tunnels of the Golden Eagle mine, in which the Duke of Montrose was interested, and which Col. Baker was managing. This they did, and continued to work until the first week in February, when the work on all the tunnels was stopped. The contract contained a provision whereby the defendant agreed to pay the plaintiffs the sum of $1000 in case the work was stopped before completion. Fraser Lantz was the first witness. He said he and co-plaintiffs bought tools and provisions here and proceeded to China creek as agreed. Harold Hyde Baker was the superintendent at the mine, and after they had been working some considerable time, Mr. Carmichael, the government assayer, and an expert came up and inspected the mine. On their return to Alberni he gave Harold Baker an order to send out six hundred pounds of provisions, but was told they had better get about enough for ten days only, as "it was looking blue," and they would probably soon knock off work. They waited about ten days, and as Harold Baker did not come back and their provisions were running out they went into Alberni for a fresh supply and to hire a couple of men. When in Alberni he and Refuse saw Harold Baker, who told them to knock off work, as that was the order from his father. He also told them he had instructions not to decide about the $1,000. They got a certificate for work done up to the time they left off, and then came to Victoria. There was then a balance of about $108 coming to them under the certificate, which the defendant's son refused to pay unless they signed a receipt in full. He further told them his father might make them a present on account of the $1,000. They refused to do so, and sued. Under the contract they received about $1,600 and had actually paid out in the neighborhood of $2,600. The contract was a paying one, and had they been allowed to go on they could have made money. The defence will be that the men left the work of their own accord. A. E. McPhillips and G. E. Powell for plaintiffs and C. E. Pooley, Q. C., for defendant.

Mr. Justice Walkem in the Supreme Court chambers this morning heard the following applications:

Turner, Beeton & Co., v. Price, Lawson (Bodwell & Irving) for the defendants obtained an order for an affidavit on production by the plaintiffs and for the examination for discovery of Hon. J. H. Turner. White (Eberts & Taylor) for the plaintiffs.

Phoenix v. Nuttall. Order made for discovery by plaintiff within one month and by defendant within two weeks. Bodwell & Irving for plaintiff and McPhillips, Wootton and Barnard for defendant.

Tailor v. Croft. Order made for examination for discovery of all parties.

Cooley v. Fitzstubbs. A. G. Smith for the defendant applied for the postponement of the trial of this action, which was set for to-day, until judgment be rendered upon a summons heard herein by Mr. Justice Crease on the 10th day of May, 1894, to add certain parties as defendants. A. L. Belyea for plaintiffs, contra. Trial postponed as asked. No costs.

Dalton Bros., v. Allice & Ault. The trial of this action was set for to-day before Mr. Justice Drake without a jury, but a settlement was arrived at between the parties before trial, the defendants agreeing to pay a portion of the plaintiffs claim in full settlement. The cause of action arose out of the shipment of fruit made by the plaintiffs, who are fruit shippers at San Francisco, which the defendants allege arrived in Victoria in bad condition. T. Fell for plaintiffs. Geo. A. Murphy for defendant.

—The Dominion government quarantine steamer Earl will be ready to go into commission in about two weeks.

—At 9 o'clock this morning at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral an anniversary requiem mass for the deceased priests and bishops of the diocese was celebrated.

—A number of members of the Natural History Society spent Saturday at Sidney and despite the bad weather had an interesting time of it. The next field day will be taken at Sooke; a district rich in what the members of the society desire to investigate.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

LACROSSE.

JAMES BAYS VS. STARS.

The race for the intermediate championship of the Island and British Columbia grows more interesting and those who failed to see the game last Saturday afternoon between the Stars and the James Bays certainly missed a good exhibition of gentlemanly, clean and well played lacrosse. The Stars were in first-class form and more than retrieved their only defeat of the season, administered by the Bays a few weeks ago, by defeating them by six goals to none. Unfortunately the threatening rain kept the crowd away and made the grass too slippery for a first-class exhibition of the national game, but both sides suffered equally from this cause. Referee Cullin called the game at 3:11 and kept it moving right through, giving the players time for breath only, after the short games. He had no very difficult task, however, having to reprimand players scarcely at all. The field captains had their men well in hand and when the referee lined the men up, the two opposing twelves looked fit and right and it would be hard to find in any city in Canada 24 more likely and promising young players. They certainly will provide the very best material obtainable for future seniors. From the face-off it was clearly the Stars' day and their captain forced the playing from the start. After 15 minutes' play R. Campbell passed the ball to Greenfield, who dodged his check and threw hard on goal, the ball striking one of the defence sticks and passing through.

The second game was a repetition of the first but shorter. The Star home was now playing a close combination and Greenfield passed to L. Campbell, who in turn passed to Rooklidge, who passed two of the Bays, threw past Snider and scored.

The third game brought out R. Campbell and Sinclair, who did the playing and passing, Sinclair making a clear run and drove a hot one through the goal in two minutes from the start.

The Bays now struggled hard to retrieve themselves and succeeded in prolonging this game to 26 minutes, the Bland boys, Smith, Marshall, Netherby and Snider doing great work, while the goal keeper, Schroeter, made some beautiful stops, but each of the Stars were doing better work, Fairall, the Finlaison brothers and Clarke relieving the pressure, while Norman had very little to attend to. R. Campbell was all over the field and apparently had it all his own way, throwing it to L. Campbell. He threw it to Norman, who passed it through by a quick run and throw in 26 minutes from the start.

The fifth game was right on the Bays' goal from the start, the two Campbells, Cooley, Greenfield and Rooklidge doing the playing for the Stars while Snider and Schroeter did yeoman work for the Bays for it was no use for the Stars would not be downed and L. Campbell scored on a pass from Rooklidge in six minutes.

The sixth game was one of assaults on the Bays' flags and again the combinations worked by R. Campbell, T. Norman and Cooley carried it down to the flags and passed it to L. Campbell, who put it through in two and one-half minutes.

The seventh game was in progress when time was called and was a repetition of the others, with the advantage on the side of the Stars.

The outlook for one of the Victoria teams winning the intermediate championship is good and it is to be hoped the young men of both clubs will go on with steady practice so as not to be caught napping when they have to face the famous Moonlighters of Westminster.

THE WHEEL.

NEW ORGANIZATION.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 20.—Differences between race meet promoters and abuses by incompetent officials have necessitated the formation of the American League of Racing Cyclists, which held a second meeting at the Denison House, this city, yesterday, and adopted a constitution and by-laws. Officers were elected as follows: President, M. L. Bridgeman, Boston; Vice-President, E. Bode, Chicago; Secretary-Treasurer, W. H. Kirkpatrick, Boston; Board of Directors—T. Eck, Minneapolis; A. T. Atkins, Chicago; Harry Tyler, the well known record breaker and W. F. Murphy of Brooklyn. Officers will be installed at a meeting in Chicago late this week. Fifty racing men, their managers and trainers and men interested actively in the sport were present and will compose the membership of the association. Class B racing men and their managers and trainers are the charter members. Class A racing men will be admitted to membership. The constitution gives as the objects: "The binding together for mutual protection; to increase interest in cycling and work in harmony with race meet promoters; to aid and assist the L. A. W. racing board in controlling the racing men through a direct representation which shall voice the sentiments of the racing contingent of the country, not only in regard to the proper management of race meetings, and in fact anything that is of mutual interest, such as improving transportation facilities and increasing of circuit, in order that the interest in racing may be more general throughout the country during the seasons; to facilitate the filing of entries with race meet promoters, etc."

YACHTING.

BIG RACE POSTPONED.

Penzance, July 28.—The race for the 100 guineas cup in Carmarthen bay, off Tenby, Wales, has been postponed until September. The postponement is due to the receipt by those having the matter in charge of a telegram from Mr. Gould, saying it would be impossible for him to fix a date before the middle of August on which the Vigilant could take part in the race. The deferring of the race until September will add to the interest that will be taken in the event, for the reason that the German emperor's yacht Meteor, formerly the Thistle, which was in 1887 beaten by the Volunteer in the races for the America cup, will be present.

DENIES THE CHARGE.

Captain Carroll Says the Bear's Nest Mine Was Not Salted.

Capt. James Carroll, of the steamer Queen, made the following statement, respecting the suit brought against him and the other original owners of the Bear's Nest mines, Alaska, by A. G. Renshaw, an English capitalist:

"This man Renshaw, the plaintiff, is a foreign promoter. He went to Alaska some years ago looking for an opportunity to place some English capital. He had no difficulty in finding the opportunity. We had just located and partly prospected the Bear's Nest mines. He wanted and we gave him an option on the property. Returning to England, Mr. Renshaw and his backers sent out three mining experts, claimed to have been the best in the world, who at different times thoroughly investigated the property, and sent their reports to England. The mine embraced an area of 600x1,500 feet, and it would have taken more than a ton of gold to have salted the mine, had we been so disposed. Subsequently the English syndicate began negotiating for the property, and we agreed to sell the mine for $750,000. They paid $100,000 in cash, issued stock to us for something over $60,000, and were to pay the remainder when the property was more fully developed. They had every opportunity for examining the mine, sinking shafts and testing the ores. No false representations were made or held out to them to effect a purchase. They seemed satisfied and anxious to buy the property. We were not particular about the deal, as other parties were anxious to get the property.

They erected a 120-stamp mill and started to work the ore, but suddenly ceased operating without fully developing the ledge. From their actions we concluded they were trying to job some of the London capitalists who had become interested. Mr. Murray, one of the defendants of the case, negotiated the sale. Further than this, I know nothing about the deal, and I most emphatically deny any connection or knowledge of any scheme on the part of James Treadwell, John Treadwell, M. W. Murray, N. A. Fuller, G. J. Smith or myself, to swindle or defraud the syndicate represented by Renshaw out of a dollar, as they allege in their complaint. The fact of the matter is this: They purchased the property upon the recommendation of English theoretical mining experts, and not knowing the practical manner of developing Alaska mines have become frightened at their speculation and are trying to evade the responsibility. The mine is good property and some not far distant day will be paying handsome dividends."

Tacoma, July 27.—The group of alleged gold mines adjoining the Treadwell mine, on Douglas island, Alaska, and rendered famous both in this country, England and Germany by being valued at over $50,000,000 by English and American experts, and subsequently declared worthless and salted" in order to put over to get English capitalists to put up over half a million dollars to the manipulators of the sale, are now declared of about equal value with the Treadwell mines, by William M. Ebner, an Alaska mining man, who has just arrived from Juneau. Mr. Ebner says that the buttes containing gold, of which the Treadwell mine is an example, do not rise to the surface, and that the tunnel, which the capitalists had run in order to test the value of the ore, happened to penetrate between the Treadwell butte and the butte containing the Bear's Nest group. The famous drill hole from which the ore was taken, on which one of the multi-million dollar assays was made, Mr. Ebner says, is in fact not a part of the Treadwell butte, but this hole has been taken in as part of the Treadwell property by a slight move in the line between the two properties, and the ore at the bottom is not at the disposal of any one to inspect. The fact that the drill hole has been taken in as part of the Treadwell property strengthens the belief among prominent local mining men that Ebner's statement is correct.

SHOOTING GALLERY SECRET.

Why It Is That Marksmen Miss Suspended Objects.

A shooting gallery peculiarity that has recently come into popularity consists in a very light and fragile ball of glass, or in some cases a hollow egg shell, suspended from a string. This always attracts the inexperienced marksman, says the New York Sun, because the natural destructiveness inherent in human nature causes him to prefer to shoot at something which he can smash rather than at a target that gets no harm from his accuracy. Therefore he wastes his three shots, at one and two-thirds cents a shot, not on the target, but on the suspended mark. And he never hits it.

The experienced man in the rifle range gunnery wastes no time on the deceitful ball. He knows that it can't be hit. Probably he knows it from experience, for it is one of those facts that no man will believe until he has tried it for himself. The reason for it is that a very light hollow glass ball, or a blown egg, if properly hung on a slender thread, will dodge any bullet that ever came from a gun barrel. The air that the bullet piles up in front of it blows the light mark out of the projectile's path until it has passed, after which the target swings back to its original position. This is very provoking for the marksman, who, if he be a good one, has the doubtful satisfaction of seeing the target execute three quick dodges at the afore-mentioned price of 1 2-3 cents per dodge.

There is nothing, however, so remunerative to the proprietor as these pendent marks, for the gunners, provoked at their lack of success, will keep on and on and on trying to hit a mark compared to which a pin head would be a barn-door shot, and they only give it up in disgust when the cost begins to tell upon them, or when some wiser friend explains their lack of success. Two dollars is a cheap price to pay for the knowledge that one of these hanging targets is a better mark for a baseball than for a bullet.

Dr. George Bonavia finds that oranges have a power rarely, but slightly, possessed by other fruits of absorbing odors from the atmosphere, and that the blood orange seems to possess this power in a greater degree than other varieties. This has reference to the pulp particularly, and not to the rind merely. Blood oranges confined in a room with onions for ten days will have the taste of onions. The experiments were made near London.

How to Get a "Sunlight" Picture.

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THEIR FAVORITE TIPPLES.

What French Deputies Drink to Moisten Their Speeches.

In a pleasant chatty article by Louis Andre, in Harper's Weekly, on some of the characteristics of the members of the French chamber of deputies, he tells us, inter alia, that the orators of the chamber are in the habit of sipping, as they speak, some sort of beverage, which varies according to the temperament of each one. M. Floquet used to dring tepid syrup; M. Ribot takes sweetened coffee; M. Ronvier, seltzer-water with lemon; M. de Mun, pure water; M. Deroulede, brandy. M. de Freycinet and M. Constans never drink anything while speaking. M. Pouyer-Quertier, who was finance minister at the time of the national assembly, and who preferred the juice of the grape to every other beverage, drank Bordeaux wine in almost any quantity; he has been known to speak for three hours, and to absorb eleven glasses of his favorite wine without the slightest inconvenience. It was M. Pouyer-Quertier who settled with Prince Bismarck the conditions for the payment of the five million of francs which France, after the war, had to pay over to Germany. The story is told that one day, while the plenipotentiaries were discussing at table the details of those conditions, Prince Bismarck conceived the idea of trying to make M. Pauper-Quertier drink too much. The latter had scarcely emptied his glass when the prince replenished it, and the French plenipotentiary tossed it off immediately. Prince Bismarck, however, had to keep up with him and drink in his turn, so that after an hour the great chancellor felt his head grow rather heavy. He gave up the bout, and said to M. Pouyer-Quertier, "I see that wine has no great effect upon you." "Oh," replied the other, who noticed Bismarck's attempt to fuddle him, "I can absorb almost any quantity; I can even swallow the glass itself." And suiting the action to the word, he crushed the glass between his teeth without cutting his lips.

Those who are to be pitied in such cases of oratorical intoxication are the secretaries seated at the foot of the tribune, and who must draw up without the assistance of any shorthand writer, an official and impartial account of the proceedings. How often have those poor secretaries been doused by spilt glasses or knocked on the head by objects falling from the tribune. One day, M. Camille Pelletan, who denied ever having brought forward a proposition for electoral purposes, exclaimed with a fine oratorical flourish of his arm, "I have never asked a grant for the inundated!" As he uttered these words he toppled over his glass of sugar and water, which fell on the back of one of the secretaries. The latter rose, shook himself, and said to the speaker in a whisper, "Well, if you have never asked for a grant for the inundated, you can do so now for me." Another day, Bishop Freppel upset his glass of water over the head of a secretary who was a Protestant, and who, as everybody knew, edited a radical journal. "Provided it isn't holy water!" exclaimed the secretary. And the entire house set up a laugh.

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INTERIOR INTELLIGENCE.

Mining and General News of the Week Gleaned From the Inland Papers.

Fires and Storms in Southern Kootenay—A Lively Deer Hunt —Lucky Kamloopers.

KAMLOOPS.
Kamloops Sentinel.

Mr and Mrs. H. Potterfield, who in November last started the New England laundry, have decided to close up the business and go to the Northwest. They have plenty of work to do, but found themselves unable to compete with Chinamen.

Another party of two who came from the American side by way of Spallumcheen, bound for the Peace river country, purchased additional supplies for the journey in Kamloops this week.

Mrs. H. Potterfield has been notified that she has won a $15,000 prize in the Louisiana lottery. She and Mr. Potterfield have therefore decided not to remove from Kamloops.

The district financial meeting of the Methodist church will be held in Vernon on Wednesday next. Rev. J. F. Betts and Rev. E. E. Hardwick, accompanied by their wives, left here on Tuesday morning for that city to attend it. They will drive there and back, camping wherever night overtakes them.

Within the past two days two companies have started work on the Thompson river with the object of taking gold from its gravel beds. One of these is working about two miles below Drynoch and one above that point.

Tenders closed on Saturday last for the construction of the new Hudson Bay compan's building. The tenders have been forwarded to Winnipeg to the commissioner for the company.

The forest fires along the line of the C. P. R. between Sicamous and Griffin lake have spent their fury, and only blackened stubs of trees and ashes supercede what were once heavily wooded hills. Beyond Revelstoke there is a series of the same scenes of desolation and ruin. The beautiful scenery is much marred and a great deal of valuable timber destroyed.

Another sad drowning accident took place on Friday afternoon last, when Willie Cadden, son of Mr. William Cadden, watchman on the C. P. R. bridge at Rogers Pass, lost his life. He with some other boys were bathing in the slough upon the Indian reservation, when he got beyond his depth and was unable to swim.

Ed. Dupont, who has been living in Kamloops occasionally during the past winter, was arrested on Friday last, charged with stealing $300 in cash from Mrs. Bessie C. Monteith of Calgary. After an examination before Judge McIntosh the accused was committed to stand trial, bail being fixed at $1500.

NAKUSP.
Nakusp Ledge.

The new record office at New Denver will cost $1150.

Track laying on the railway has now reached the head of Slocan lake. Supplies are going forward rapidly.

The engineers on the road have shifted camp to Three Forks, where they will remain for about a month.

Upwards of one hundred claims have been recorded in the Trail creek district recently.

It is reported that fire has destroyed a vast amount of timber on the limits held by Hill Bros. in the Slocan.

Shortly after four o'clock on Thursday afternoon a wind storm struck the town, and almost proved the wreck of the steamers Illecillewaet and Lytton, together with their scow. The storm at first sight did not appear to be more than a pleasant breeze, but it freshened in a few minutes to a miniature cyclone and speedily lashed the surface into frothing billows. McDonald's boat house, at the foot of Slocan avenue, was quickly demolished, but the boats were saved.

GOLDEN.
Golden Era

A gold brick, valued at $540, was brought down on the Hyak last Sunday from the E. K. E. company's property at Wild Horse. This is the first gold brick ever produced in East Kootenay. It was forwarded to the Bank of British Columbia, Victoria, B.C.

Col. Raymond, professional gambler, was arrested here on Tuesday night. He came here from Calgary on Monday, where he is wanted for stealing a sideboard and silver water pitcher from Geo. Murdoch, auctioneer. Sergt. Brooks, N. W. M. P. arrived from Banff Wednesday morning and took the prisoner east on No. 2.

On Tuesday morning last the keepers and inmates of the houses of ill fame in Golden appeared before Justices of the Peace Armstrong and Aylmer on the charge of "being loose, idle and disorderly persons, prostitutes, having no visible means of support, and vagrants under the act." They all pleaded guilty, and were sentenced as follows: The house keepers were fined $10 and $3.25 costs or 20 days' hard labor, and the inmates were fined $5 and 3.25 costs or ten days' hard labor each. In all cases the fines were paid. The prisoners were told that they were not to look on this fine as a license to continue in the business, but they must leave the town, and were warned that if they were brought up again they would be given the full extent of the law, which meant six months' hard labor without the option of a fine.

REVELSTOKE.
Revelstoke Mail.

The receipts at the government office here during the month amounted to about $4000.

Several claims up Fish creek, on which work has been done, show some very fine black oxide of copper.

That there is considerable activity in prospecting is evidenced by the number of free miners' licenses which are being issued. Several of those to whom the certificates were issued this week intend trying their luck at Trout creek, while others have gone to the Big Bend country.

A well defined quartz vein has been discovered on Cariboo creek, five miles from Goat canyon. It runs directly across the Lady Sampson group of claims. Specimens exhibited show the gold freely dotted over the rock, and can be readily seen with a glass. The vein is extensive, and its discovery has put new life in the camp.

The Vandall-Beaton gold claim on French creek is now working three men. Three hundred dollars was taken out in three days last week and the ground is improving. French creek is one of the best placer districts in Big Bend.

Mr. J. M. Kellie, M. P. P., left yesterday for Carne's creek, Big Bend, where he intends doing some development work on his claims.

John Boyd recorded the Hobo claim this week. It is situated southeast of the Tenderfoot, on Carne's creek, Big Bend.

Government Agent Graham returned from the Lardeau on Thursday, where he distributed over $4000 in wages amongst the men employed on the wagon road to Trout lake. There are 73 men employed, and the road has been constructed as far as Stauber lake—the most difficult portion of the whole distance. The work will be completed in about a month.

The steamer Lytton on Monday took down to Nakusp for use on the N. & S. railway a new engine, No. 565, and on Tuesday night brought up engine 408, which had been in use on that road for the past few months. The change was necessitated on account of No. 408 not being able to run safely on the curves, which are said to be very sharp, owing to the rigidity of her running gear. Locomotive Foreman C. H. Temple was in charge of the loading and unloading of the engines. The Lytton also took down six new flat cars, making in all 22 now in use on the N. & S.

The passengers by the Columbia on her trip up on Thursday had an exciting deer hunt on the Lower Arrow lake. When first sighted the animal was swimming several hundred feet out from shore, and Captain Gore immediately ran the boat into a position to cut off the deer's retreat. For upwards of an hour the Columbia circled around after the beast, until finally a dexterous throw of a noosed rope made it a captive. A crib was hastily manufactured, in which the deer was dispatched from Revelstoke to Vancouver, in care of C. P. R. Paymaster Wilgress, as a present from the officers of the boat to the Brockton Point "zoo."

PORT HAMMOND.

Port Hammond, July 26.—Now the elections are over every one has settled down to business again. Farmers are busy at their hay and other work. The weather is most favorable for all engaged in that line, although rather on the warm side.

Mr. Arthur Codd, of Montreal, is on a visit to his cousin, Mr. R. L. Codd, of this place. Every person is delighted to see him here again.

The "cheek" of the government organs in claiming Mr. J. F. Hume, M. P. P. for Kootenay, as a government supporter is amusing. We would not be surprised to hear of them claiming the whole opposition as their supporters. No doubt the government and its organs are in a bad way after the defeat in East Yale. It certainly is a very important victory for the opposition.

Dyking operations have now fairly commenced. J. Pike is busy having the dykes enlarged, so as to keep out even a higher water than 1894. E. Mohun, who was here in connection with the B. C. D. & D. Co's dykes, says no expense will be spared to have everything put in first class style. It is a highly creditable fact that none of the company's dykes broke, the water simply rising over the top. Mr. Mohun has the greatest confidence in the scheme, of which he was the father as far back as 1882, but it was not till some three or four years ago that any decided action was taken.

THE KOOTENAY FIRES.

Exciting Experiences of Some of the Residents—The Loss.

Spokane, July 27.—A Spokesman special from Kaslo, B. C., says: Losses so far reported from the awful forest fires raging through the mountains of this section aggregate $125,000. The people of the Slocan district are left destitute, without shelter or food. A relief party has left here, but it is feared there will be great suffering before it pushes its way through the burning forests.

Fires had been burning around the ill-fated towns for several days, but about noon Wednesday a roaring gale swept down the mountain, lifting high in the air the tops and limbs of burning trees, brands to start new fires in a thousand different places. Almost instantaneously a dozen fires were started in Three Forks. The terror-stricken people had to fly for their lives, leaving everything behind them. The proprietor of a laundry and bath house and his wife jumped into the creek and rolled down stream until they reached a place of shelter. At Bear Lake Mr. Mahoney, who kept a hotel, with his wife and two children, waded into the waters of the lake and remained there for hours. It is almost certain that a number of lives have been lost among the prospectors. The total loss at Three Forks is about $65,000; at Watson about $20,000; at Bear lake, $25,000.

It is feared that Callahan, telegraph operator at Watson, and Frank Price, who was on the north fork of Carpenter creek, have perished. The line of the fire is 25 miles long and the damage to valuable timber is enormous. The buildings at the Tam O'Shanter mine and the Blue Bell mine were burned.

At Kaslo alarm is felt for the safety of the town. A big fire has been burning on the lake shore within a quarter of a mile of town.

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CLOSE OF THE MEETING.

Men Who Will Represent the Province at the Ottawa Rifle Tourney.

Last Days' Shooting at the Goldstream Range—Some Good Scores Made.

The annual rifle tournament held at Goldstream was brought to a close on Saturday, when Lieut.-Col. Prior, in the presence of a number of the officers of the militia, presented the prizes won during the three days' meeting. He complimented the different prize winners, and in face all the competitors, on the splendid scores made, the average being far ahead of last year. If the eight men making the highest aggregate scores are able to go to Ottawa, British Columbia will be represented by a very strong team. But it is feared that four out of the eight will be unable to go, in which case those following on the list will be chosen. Sergeant A. R. Langley, who heads the list, has been doing some excellent shooting. Lieut. J. D. Taylor is an old Ottawa man, who always can be relied on. Gunners H. C. Chamberlain, J. McRobie, and F. C. Chamberlain and Bombardier Martin have all had places on Wimbledon teams. The places on the Ottawa team will be awarded as follows:

1. Sergt. A. R. Langley	494
2. Lieut. J. D. Taylor	480
3. Gr. H. C. Chamberlin, Westr	478
4. Gr. J. McRobbie	472
5. Gr. J. C. Chamberlin, Westr	468
6. Bombr. A. Martin	466
7. Gr. W. P. Winsby	462
8. Lieut. M. G. Blanchard	457
9. Gr. J. H. Sharpe, Westr	455
10. Gr. G. H. Morkill	451
11. Bombr. R. Wilson, Westr	450
12. Gr. W. Duncan	447
13. Corp. J. D. Stuart, Vanc	443
14. Gr. R. J. Butler	443
15. Bombr. S. A. Fletcher	441
16. Gr. J. L. Beckwith	440
17. Staff-Sergt. J. C. Newbury	438
18. G. C. W. Newbury	432
19. Bombr. F. Mallandaine	431
20. Gr. H. Huston	426

Saturday's shooting commenced with the Goldstream match for the Chapleau cup and cash prizes amounting to $100, half of which was presented by Mr. Phair, of the Goldstream Hotel. The score follows:

Cup and $12—Sgt. A. Langley	30	33	32	95
$10.00—Gr. G. H. Morkill	32	31	29	92
8.00—Sgt. S. A. Fletcher	31	29	29	90
7.00—Lieut. J. D. Taylor	31	30	29	90
6.00—Bombr. A. Martin	32	31	27	90
5.00—Staff-Sgt. J. C. Newbury	34	31	27	92
5.00—Gr. J. McRobbie	31	27	31	89
4.00—F. R. Sargison	27	31	30	88
4.00—Gr. W. P. Winsby	27	32	29	88
4.00—Corp. J. D. Stuart, Vanc	32	31	25	88
3.00—Gr. H. Chamberlin, Wr	27	31	29	87
3.00—Lieut. Collard, R.M.L.I.	30	29	28	87
3.00—Dr. Bell-Irving, Vanc	29	33	25	87
3.00—Gr. J. Chamerlin, Wr	30	31	25	86
3.00—Gr. J. H. Sharpe, Wr	31	30	25	86
2.50—J. L. Beckwith	30	28	31	85
2.50—Gr. Jos. Burr, Wr	32	26	26	85
2.50—Gr. W. Duncan	24	31	29	84
2.50—Gr. R. J. Butler	28	30	26	84
2.00—Gr. W. J. Sloan, Wr	23	35	25	83
2.00—Gr. C. W. Newbury	29	31	23	83
2.00—W. W. B. McInnes	27	28	27	82
2.00—Sgt.-Major A. S. Hunter	27	29	26	82
2.00—Bombr. R. Wilson, Wr	29	28	25	82

In connection with the Goldstream individual competition was a match for representative teams of ten men each. The result was:

1st. No. 2 Company—$25.				
Sergeant A. R. Langley	30	33	32	95
Bombr. A. Martin	32	31	27	90
Gr. J. McRobbie	31	27	31	89
Gr. W. P. Winsby	27	32	29	88
Gr. W. Duncan	24	31	29	84
Gr. R. J. Butler	28	30	26	84
Sergt.-Major A. S. Hunter	27	29	26	82
Lieut. M. G. Blanchard	25	29	23	79
Lieut. R. Williams	27	29	23	79
Bombr. F. Mallandaine	26	27	19	72
Totals	277	292	267	836
2nd. Victoria Rifle Club—$15.				
Gr. G. H. Mockill	32	31	29	92
Lieut. J. D. Taylor	31	30	29	90
Stf.-Sgt. J. C. Newbury	32	34	23	89
F. R. Sargison	27	31	30	88
Gr. Jos. Burr	32	27	26	85
Gr. C. W. Newbury	29	31	23	83
Gr. G. H. Duncan	27	33	21	81
Gr. E. Brammer	27	29	24	80
Gr. Goodwin	22	27	28	77
Corp. F. A. Quigley	23	25	19	67
Totals	265	290	267	832
3rd. No. 4 Company, Westminster.				
Bombr. S. A. Fletcher	31	29	30	90
Gr. H. C. Chamberlin	27	31	29	87
Gr. J. C. Chamberlin	30	31	25	86
Gr. J. H. Sharpe	31	30	25	86
Gr. Jos. Burr	32	27	26	85
Gr. Sloan	29	33	21	83
Bombr. R. Wilson	29	28	25	82
Gr. W. Huston	27	27	27	81
Sergt. Corbett	21	28	28	77
Tptr. Leslie	24	25	26	75
Totals	275	291	266	832
4th. Goldstream Hornets.				
Corp. J. D. Stuart	32	31	25	88
Lieut. C. E. Collard	30	29	28	87
Dr. Bell-Irving	29	33	25	87
W. W. B. McInnes	27	28	27	82
H. A. Brocklesby	29	29	23	81
Capt. E. H. Fletcher	28	26	27	81
H. Collins	30	29	18	77
Sergt. Gibson	26	27	23	76
Senator McInnes	29	27	21	68
Col. Sgt. Sparrow	36	12	—	42
Totals	277	271	221	769

The scores in the extra series at 500 yards follow:

$6.34—Gr. C. H. Chamberlain, (West)	25
6.33—Bomb. A. Martin	25
6.33—F. R. Sargison	25
4.00—Sgt. S. A. H. Fletcher	24
3.00—Bomb. S. A. Fletcher (West)	24
3.00—Gr. J. McRobbie	24
2.50—Gr. J. C. Chamberlin (West)	24
2.50—Senator McInnes	24
2.50—Bomb. F. Mallandaine	23
2.00—Gr. J. L. Beckwith	23
2.00—Sergt.-Major A. S. Hunter	23
2.00—Sergt. A. R. Lankley	23

Four 23s counted out.

In the association match, ten shots at 600 yards, the scores were:

Cup and $10—Lieut. M. G. Blanchard	48
$8.00—Gr. J. C. Chamberlin (West)	44
6.00—Staff-Sergt. J. C. Newbury	44
5.00—Sergt. A. R. Langley	44
5.00—Lieut. J. D. Taylor	43
4.00—Bomb. R. Wilson (West)	42
4.00—Gr. H. C. Chamberlin (West)	41
3.00—F. R. Sargison	41
3.00—Lieut. Collard, R. M. L. I.	41
3.00—Sergt. Gibson, R. M. A.	39
3.00—Gr. R. J. Butler	39
2.50—Gr. W. Duncan	39
2.50—Boatswain C. Sullivan, R.N.	38
2.00—Bomb. F. Mallindaine	38
2.00—Gr. C. W. Newbury	38
2.00—Dr. Bell-Irving (Vanc)	38
2.00—Gr. J. McRobbie	38
2.00—Corp. J. D. Stuart (Vanc)	38
2.00—Sergt. Corbett (West)	38
2.00—Dr. G. H. Duncan	38

Extra series, five shots at 600 yards:

$8.00—F. R. Sargison	23
6.00—Gr. J. L. Beckwith	23
5.00—Gr. McRobbie	23
4.00—H. A. Brocklesby (Vanc)	23
3.00—Gr. E. Brammer	23
2.75—Gr. Sloan (West)	23
2.75—Gr. J. C. Chamberlin (West)	23
2.50—Gr. E. Sharpe, (West)	23
2.50—Bomb. Fletcher (West)	23
2.00—Gr. H. C. Chamberlin (West)	23
2.00—Bomb. A. Martin	23
2.00—Lieut. J. D. Taylor	23

Three 22s counted out.

The following grand aggregate shows how the men stood in the three days shooting:

B. C. R. G. A. gold badge and 55—Sergt. A. R. Langley	400
B. C. R. G. A. silver badge and 85—Lieut. J. D. Taylor	389
$5.00—Gr. H. C. Chamberlin (West)	384
4.00—Gr. J. C. Chamberlin (West)	383
2.00—Gr. J. McRobbie	381
2.00—Bomb. A. Martin	380
F. R. Sargison	376
Gr. Sharpe, (West)	376
Dr. Bell-Irving (Vanc)	375
W. W. B. McInnes	373
Gr. W. P. Winsby	372
Lieut. M. G. Blanchard	369
Lieut. C. E. Collard, R.M.L.I.	366
Gr. G. H. Morkill	366
Gr. R. J. Butler	365
Gr. R. Wilson	363
Gr. J. L. Beckwith	361
Corp. J. D. Stuart (Vanc)	360
Staff-Sergt. J. C. Newbury	359
Gr. W. C. Newbury	358
Gr. W. Duncan	356
Gr. S. A. Fletcher (West)	355
Bomb. F. Mallandaine	354
H. A. Brocklesby	351
Gr. W. Huston	351

The silver medal presented by the Dominion Rifle Association for the highest score of the meeting was won by Gunner H. C. Chamberlain of Westminster with 94. Gunner Duncan and Lieut. Taylor tied for the bronze medal with 91 each. The tie was decided by shooting five shots at 600 yards. The score was 24-19. The scores were:

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D.R.A. silver medal—Gr. H. C. Chamberlin (West)	30	33	31	94
D.R.A. bronze medal—Gr. W. Duncan	31	31	29	91
Lieut. J. D. Taylor	30	30	31	91
Gr. J. McRobbie	31	29	29	89
Gr. W. P. Winsby	31	31	27	89
Sergt. A. R. Langley	28	29	31	88
Lieut. M. G. Blanchard	30	30	28	88
Bomb. Wilson (West)	28	29	30	87
Bomb. S. A. Fletcher (West)	28	28	30	86
Bomb. A. Martin	32	26	28	86
Gr. G. H. Morkill	25	33	27	85
Gr. J. C. Chamberlin (West)	28	30	25	83
Corp. J. D. Stuart (Vanc)	27	24	31	82
Gr. Sharpe (West)	21	30	28	79
Gr. Butler	23	28	27	78
Staff-Sergt. J. C. Newbury	27	32	19	78
Bomb. F. Mallandaine	24	27	26	77
Gr. J. L. Beckwith	24	29	24	77
Gr. W. Huston (West)	22	26	27	75
Gr. C. W. Newbury	23	27	22	74

The competition for team aggregate of five men representing any company, association or club resulted as follows:

1st. No. 2 Company A team—$15.	
Sergt. A. R. Langley	466
Gr. J. McRobbie	383
Bomb. A. Martin	380
Gr. W. P. Winsby	372
Sergt. A. S. Hunter	347
Total	1888
2nd. No. 4 Company A team—$10.	
Gr. H. C. Chamberlin	384
Gr. J. C. Chamberlin	383
Gr. Sharpe	376
Bomb. Wilson	363
Gr. Sloan	345
Total	1841

Next in order:

No. 1 Company	1785
No. 2 Company B team	1753
Vancouver Rifle Association	1746
Victoria Rifle Club	1732
No. 4 Company B team	1728
Royal Marines	1756

The militia aggregate competition, including the 500 and 600 yards ranges in the grand aggregate matches for the Mafford Martini rifle presented by Hon. J. H. Turner, resulted as follows:

Rifle—Sergt. A. R. Langley	276
$5—Lieut. M. G. Blanchard	270
4—Lieut. J. D. Taylor	264
3—Gr. H. C. Chamberlin(West)	257
2—Gr. J. C. Chamberlin (West)	256
1—Bomb. A. Martin	255

The civilian prize, presented by J. T. Bethune was won by F. R. Sargison. The best scores were:

F. R. Sargison	376
Dr. Bell-Irving (Vanc)	375
W. W. B. McInnes	373
Dr. G. H. Duncan	352
H. A. Brocklesby (Vanc)	351

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PERSONAL.

W. J. Goepel is down from Nelson.

F. Gerrish, of Port Townsend, is in the city.

Prof. Odlum came down from Vancouver last night.

Mrs. E. J. Dowding, of Osoyoos, is at the Driard.

Miss Kate Sullivan, of Seattle, is visiting in the city.

Major W. A. Piant, R. A. of England, is at the Victoria.

A. L. Ryals, U. S. immigration inspector, is at the Victoria.

Capt Wise and family returned from the Sound last evening.

Horatio Webb, of Chilliwack, is registered at the Oriental.

W. H. Mead, the Portland railway man, spent yesterday in the city.

Geo. Beckingham arrived home on the City of Kingston last evening.

A. D. Charlton and I. A. Nadeau, prominent N. P. railway officials, are in the city.

James Orr, R. J. Skinner and Walter F. Topping, of Vancouver, are at the Oriental.

Hon. C. E. Pooley and Hon. F. G. Vernon returned from the Mainland last evening.

J. G. L. Abbott and Osborne Plunkett, of Vancouver, are here for the law examinations.

A. C. Sutton, of New Westminster, and Thos. O'Brien, of Calgary, are at the Driard.

Marcus Wolfe and Alex. Mayer came over from Portland yesterday and left for Nanaimo this morning.

E. J. Howell and wife, Geo. Howell, and the Misses Howell, of London, England, are at the Driard. They are on their way to California.

R. L. Patterson, representing Miller & Richards, the type founders, and Fred W. Heath, a popular commercial ambassador of the Queen City of the East, are at the Driard.

[illegible] who arrived on Saturday's steamer, will spend a week or two visiting relatives and friends in the city, and will be the guests of the Rev. D. and Mrs. MacRae, Victoria West.

Notice.

Mr. P. Nelson wishes to inform the public that he has a car load of Hams and Bacon and Rolls that was delayed at Winnipeg, which is slightly damaged by mould and which he will offer for sale at below cost, commencing on Friday, 27th July, in the front of Wm. Pottinger's fresh meat shop, City Market Hall. Now is your time to get your Bacon and Hams as it must be sold at once to realize on it. Come one, come all.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Orders for changes in the reading of advertisements must be handed in to the Times office before 10 a.m. to insure insertion the same day. New advertisements, displayed, will be received up to 3 p.m. and small ads. until 4 p.m. Merchants and other patrons will aid us a great deal by observing these rules, as the work of re-setting requires time and care, and cannot be done satisfactorily when the paper is being prepared for press.

DIED.

POWERS—On the 29th inst., Helen, the only child of Michael Powers, aged 11 months.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) at 10 o'clock a. m. from the father's residence, [illegible] at 10:15 a.m at the Roman Catholic cathedral. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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THE RIFLE.

WILL VISIT TORONTO.

The British Columbia riflemen who will be chosen to represent the province in the Dominion rifle tournament at Ottawa will also shoot in the Ontario provincial meeting, which takes place in Toronto before the Dominion meeting. This will be good practice for the team after their long trip across the continent.

YACHTING.

TO-DAY'S RACE.

Falmouth, July 30.—Contrary to expectations, Gould decided at the last moment not to start the Vigilant in to-day's race, owing to a disarrangement of her bowsprit gear. It is not likely she will be in trim for racing again before Saturday. The withdrawal of the Vigilant has caused the deepest disappointment among yachting men and visitors. Thousands had flocked to witness the performance of the Vigilant. There are a number of rumors afloat which disagree with the reason advanced by Gould for not racing. The real reason, it is believed, was the lightness of the wind. The Britannia and the Satanita started, the former winning by fifteen minutes.

LACROSSE.

WESTMINSTER IN THE LEAD.

New Westminster, July 30.—The lacrosse match on Saturday was won by the Westminsters by four goals to two. The match was played in the rain on a slippery field and there was no chance for anything like combination play. Still the game was an interesting one. The scoring and corrected standing of the clubs are below:

THE RACE FOR THE PENANT.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Westminster	5	4	1
Victoria	4	3	1
Vancouver	5	0	5

MORTON'S TRIAL.

The executive of the provincial lacrosse association will meet here next Friday evening to consider the appeal of the New Westminster club respecting Morton's actions during the late match.

THE WHEEL.

COAST RECORD BROKEN.

Los Angeles, July 30.—Thomas Maeder broke the five mile coast bicycle record yesterday, running from the scratch in 12.48.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE HANDICAP OPENS TODAY.

The club handicap in the lawn tennis tournament opens this afternoon. The entries are:

F. B. Pemberton (receives 1-2 of 30)—bye.
H. F. M. Jones (receives 15)—bye.
A.C. Elmore (scratch)—bye.
E. A. Jacobs (scratch) vs. Lieut A. Y. Morgridge, R.N., (owes 1-2 of 15).
T. E. Pooley (receives 1-2 of 30) vs. Geo. C. Johnston (receives 1-2 of 15).
J. M. Millar (scratch) vs. W. N. Langley (receives 15).
G. E. Parkes (receives 15) vs. H. F. Langton (receives 30).
Dr. R. H. J. Browne, R.N. (scratch) vs. A. J. O'Reilly (receives 1-2 of 30).
P. S. Lampman (receives 15) vs. H. B. Rogers (receives 1-2 of 15).
Lindley Crease (receives 15) vs. C. C. Worsfold (scratch).
H. F. Mytton (receives 1-2 of 30) vs. H. B. Haines (receives 15).
Harvey Combe (owes 15) vs. J. F. Foulkes (owes 30).
A. G. Smith (receives 30)—bye.
Rev. A. Scriven (receives 15)—bye.
E. O'Reilly (receives 1-2 of 30)—bye.
B. H. T. Drake (receives 1-2 of 15)—bye.

The undermentioned gentlemen will meet to-day for the first round:

Harvey Combe and J. F. Foulkes.
H. F. Mytton and H. B. Haines.
T. E. Pooley and Geo. C. Johnston.
P. S. Lampman and H. B. Rogers.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Charmer from the Sound—F C Berridge, C W Cropp, F Ross, C D Stevens, W F Topping, E Funnigan, R. J. Skinner, J W Morrison, Mrs. Cropp, Mrs Ross, Mrs Stevens, R L Paterson, Prof Odlum, Geo. W Bailey, Dora Webb, W H Clark, R S Byrn, Mrs. W. G. Robertson, H Webb, S W Cashin, Mike Flinn, Mrs Morrison Lein Sam, A L Ryals, J Catherwood, C Stewart.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Mrs Emmons, Miss Emmons, C H Moeford, Chas Pringle, Jas Wilson, R. Seals, J A Landers, Mrs McCrea, Miss McCrea, Miss G. McCrea, R Conly, R W Smith.

Per City of Kingston from the Sound—J Hillare, Mrs Swogzy, M Plouet, Geo. Beckingham, H Harold, Mrs. Gordon, G. Plunkett, F Kennedy, Mrs Wise, S H Pierce, P G Davis, P T Brothers, M D Balns, Geo Ramsey, W Guldfelder and daughter, Capt. Wise, Miss Wise, F Gerrish, Mrs Shaw, Jno Tighe, H Mordaunt, D Phillips, W Jones and wife, Miss A Watson, Miss D Watson, C Sailer, Mrs Boucer, C W Price, Jno L Brace and wife, D Burns, Mrs Ransom, A Noble and wife, T L Sullivan.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Charmer from Vancouver—E E, Fell & Co, J & A Clearihue, R H Jamieson, E Wall & Co, Mr. Shallowcross, S Leiser, Imp Bank, A Holden Co, E & N Ry Co, A Lapnoor, Cookson & P, City Pimb Co, C A McIntosh, Lenz & L, J Braden, P & Turner, T N Hibben, W Wilby, Colonist Ptg Co, Dom Ex Co.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—S Schoen, Thos Earle, Thos Bradbury, Chas Pringle, Hud Bay Co, Mrs C W Cook.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have deposited with the Minister of Public Works a plan and description of a wharf proposed to be erected by me in Constance Cove, Esquimalt Harbor, abutting on part of Section 26, Esquimalt District, and have deposited a duplicate of each in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria and that I have applied to the Governor in Council for the approval thereof.

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